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WILSON REVIEWS RECENT EVENTS

President Addresses Congress on Recent Speeches of Count Czernin and Count Von Hertling, Reviewing War Situation Developments.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Washington, Feb. 11.—There can be no peace based upon the German position outlined by Count von Hertling, the German foreign minister, in his recent address to the Reichstag committee, President Wilson today told a joint session of congress. The president reiterated in the strongest language that the German position makes for continuation of the war. The Austrian-Hungarian attitude is directly the opposite that of Germany, the president declared, and he praised the address of Count Czernin but made it plain that Germany's control and dominance of Austria has prevented Austria being as frank as it must be.

Once again the president declared that there was to be no going back and that the whole strength of the United States is to be devoted to "emancipation of peoples from the threat and attempted mastery of selfish groups of autocratic rulers," and once again the president sums of three tests which Germany and Austria must meet to secure peace as follows:

That each part of the final settlement must be based upon the essential justice of that particular case and upon such adjustment as likely to bring permanent peace.

That the peoples and provinces are not to be bartered from sovereignty as if chattels, but that:

Every territory settlement involved in this war must be in the interest and for the benefit of the people concerned. That all well defined national aspirations shall be accorded the utmost satisfaction possible without introducing new or perpetuating old elements of discord.

The president said:

"Gentlemen of the Congress:—On the eighth of January I had the honor of addressing you on the objects of the war as our people conceived them. The prime minister of Great Britain had spoken in similar terms on the fifth of January. To these addresses the German Chancellor replied on the twenty-fourth and Count Czernin, for Austria, on the same day. It is gratifying to have our desire so promptly realized that all exchanges of view on this great matter should be made in the hearing of all the world.

"Count Czernin's reply, which is directly chiefly to my own address of the eighth of January, is uttered in a very friendly tone. He finds in my statement a sufficiently encouraging approach to the views of his own government to justify him in believing that it furnishes a basis for a more detailed discussion of purposes by the two governments. He is represented to have intimated that the views he was expressing had been communicated to me beforehand and that I was aware of them at the time he was uttering them; but in this I am sure he was misunderstood. I had received no intimation of what he intended to say. There was, of course, no reason why he should communicate privately to me. I am quite content to be one of his public audience.

"Count von Hertling's reply is, I must say, very vague and very confusing. It is full of equivocal phrases and leads it is not clear where But it is certainly in a very different tone from that of Count Czernin, and apparently of an opposite purposes. It confirms, I am sorry to say, rather than removes, the unfortunate impression made by what we had learned of the conferences at Brest-Litovsk. His discussion and acceptance of our general principles lead him to no practical conclusions. He refuses to apply them to the substantive items which must constitute the body of any final settlement. He is jealous of international action and of international counsel. He accepts, he says, the principle of public diplomacy, but he appears to insist that it be confined, at any rate in this case, to generalities and that the several particular questions of territory and sovereignty, the several questions upon whose settlement must depend the acceptance of peace by the twenty-three states now engaged in the war, must be discussed and settled, not in general council but severally by the nations most immediately concerned by interest or neighborhood. He agrees that the seas should be free, but looks askance at any limitation to that freedom by international action in the interest of the common order. He would without reserve be glad to see economic barriers removed between nation and nation for that could in no way impede the ambitions of the military party with whom he seems constrained to keep on terms. Neither does he raise objection to a limitation of armaments. That matter will be settled of itself, he thinks, by the economic conditions which must follow the war. But the German colonies, he demands, must be returned without debate. He will discuss with no one but the representatives of Russia what disposition shall be made of the peoples and the lands of the Baltic provinces; with no one but the government of France the 'conditions' under which French territory shall be evacuated; and only with Austria what shall be done with Poland. In the determination of all questions affecting the Balkan States he defers, as I understand him, to Austria and Turkey; and with regard to the agreements to be entered into concerning the non-Turkish peoples of the present Ottoman Empire, to the Turkish authorities themselves. After a settlement all around, effected in this fashion, by individual barter and concession, he would have no objection, if I correctly interpret his statement, to a league of nations which would undertake to hold the new balance of power steady against external disturbance.

"It must be evident to everyone who understands that this war has wrought in the opinion and temper of the world that no general peace, no peace worth the infinite sacrifices of these years of tragical suffering, can possibly be arrived at in any such fashion. The method the German chancellor proposes is the method of the Congress of Vienna. We cannot and will not return to that. What is at stake now is the peace of the world. What we are striving for is a new international order based upon broad and universal principles of right and justice—no mere peace of shreds and patches. Is it possible that count Von Hertling does not see that, does not grasp it, is in fact living in his thought in a world dead and gone? Has he utterly forgotten the Reichstag resolutions of the nineteenth of July, or does he deliberately ignore them? They spoke of the conditions of a general peace, not of national aggrandizement or of arrangements between state and state. The peace of the world depends upon the just settlement of each of the several problems to which I adverted in my recent address to the congress. I, of course, do not mean that the peace of the world depends upon the acceptance of any particular set of suggestions as to the way in which those problems are to be dealt with. I mean only that those problems each and all affect the whole world; that unless they are dealt with in a spirit of unselfish and unbiased justice, with a view to the wishes, the natural connections, the racial aspirations, the security, and the peace of mind of the peoples involved, no permanent peace will have been attained. They cannot be discussed separately or in corners. None of them constitutes a private or separate interest from which the opinion of the world may be shut out. Whatever affects the peace affects mankind, and nothing settled by military force, if settled wrong, is settled at all. It will presently have to be reopened.

"Is Count von Hertling not aware that he is speaking in the court of mankind, that all the awakened nations of the world now sit in judgment on what every public man of whatever nation, may say on the issues of a conflict which has spread to every region of the world? The Reichstag resolutions of July themselves frankly accepted the decisions of that court. There shall be no annexations, no contributions, no punitive damages, peoples are not to be handed about from one sovereignty to another by an international conference or an understanding between rivals and antagonists. National aspirations must be respected. Peoples may now be dominated and governed only by their own consent. 'Self determination' is not a mere phrase. It is an imperative principle of action which statesmen will henceforth ignore at their peril. We cannot have general peace for the asking or by the mere arrangements of a peace conference. It cannot be pieced together out of individual understandings between powerful states. All the parties to this war must join in the settlement of every issue anywhere involved in it; because what we are seeking is a peace that we can all unite to guarantee and maintain and every item of it must be submitted to the common judgment whether it be right and fair, an act of justice, rather than a bargain between sovereigns.

"The United States has no desire to interfere in European affairs or to act as arbiter in European territorial disputes. She would disdain to take advantage of any internal weakness or disorder to impose her own will upon another people. She is quite ready to be shown that the settlements she has suggested are not the best or the most enduring. They are only her own provisional sketch of principles and of the way in which they should be applied. But she entered this war because she was made a partner, whether she would or not, in the sufferings and indignities inflicted by the military masters of Germany, against the peace and security of mankind; and the conditions of peace will touch her as nearly as they will touch any other nation to which is entrusted a leading part in the maintenance of civilization. She cannot see her way to peace until the causes of this war are removed, its renewal rendered as nearly as may be impossible.

"This war had its roots in the disregard of the rights of small nations and of nationalities which lacked the union and the force to make good their claim to determine their own allegiances and their own forms of political life. Covenants must now

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BOY SCOUTS HOLD 8TH ANNIVERSARY

Monthly Meeting of the Boy Scouts Made Occasion of Unusually Interesting Addresses.

The eighth anniversary of the Boy Scout Organization was celebrated at St. John's parish house Saturday evening when 150 Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts gathered around a big birthday cake. Red and blue candles burned on the white frosting and gave a novel touch of patriotism to the background of flags and posters.

The program was opened by a few words of welcome by Rev. J. I. B. Larned, chairman of the court of honor, after which the pledge of allegiance to the flag was given in the customary Scout manner. Scoutmaster A. S. Cole read the message from President Livingston of the Boy Scouts of America. President E. H. Bogart, of the local council, addressed those who were to receive their badges of promotion in Scout work, impressing upon the Scouts the importance of the Scout work and the part which Scouts can take in winning the world war. In conferring the different degrees he reminded the boys and girls of their responsibility to live up to the Scout oath and laws and of their obligation to go on in Scout work and attain the highest rank possible not only for the sake of their own development but so that they shall be prepared for the responsibilities of citizenship. Tenderfoot badges were awarded to the following Girl Scouts: Sanchen Barmann, Catherine Dunbar, Rachel Hudler, Helen Hudler, May Hommell, Melvina Lurie, Irene Margolis, Ethel Schlett, Helen Dougherty and Gertrude Van Aken. Second class badges were awarded to the following Girl Scouts: Dorothy Freeman, Margaret Myer, Elizabeth Vrooman, Miriam Look, Elizabeth Richards, Margaret Richards, Elizabeth Forsyth, Helen Heiser, Janet Fowler, Marion Leighton, Jaqueline Winston. The following Boy Scouts received the Tenderfoot badge: Mervin Garrison, Paul Gregory, Dorr Monroe, Percy Squires, William Metcalf, Thorne Shear, Claude Needes, Raymond Willmot, Tom Wheeler, Howard Myers, Floyd Winne, Westbrook Stelle, Ezra Yerkes.

The following Boy Scouts received the Second Class badge: Tom Rowland, Rodney DuBois, Jack DeWitt, Fred Dressel, George Matthews, Ed-Mahar, Clark Snyder.

First Class badges were awarded to Scouts Fred Carr and Isadore Weisberg. The degree of Assistant Scoutmaster was conferred upon David Richtmyer.

Scout Margaret Myer of troop [illegible] was awarded a prize for winning the contest in securing signatures to the Food Conservation Pledge Cards. Scout Myer secured 105 signatures.

A troop flag was awarded to troop No. 5 in recognition of their good work in the Second Liberty Loan drive. Twelve scouts in troop No. 5 sold 254 bonds amounting to $20,750. This amount was 33⅓ of the total city record and means that each of the 24 Scouts in the troop sold $865 worth of bonds.

Dr. Henry Van Hoevenberg made an announcement concerning the examinations for Merit Badges, cautioning the Scouts of the importance of this advanced work and the high standard which the local council has adopted.

Dr. Larned spoke enthusiastically concerning the Boost America work of the Scouts.

A novel feature of the program was introduced when Scout Elizabeth Vrooman signalled a semaphore message to the boy Scouts with such speed that no one was able to interpret the message which was, "We congratulate you on your birthday and wish you good luck." The boys were feeling a little downhearted at their failure to interpret the message when Scout Fred Carr saved the day by answering the girls' message. He signalled with less speed than the Girl Scout but the girls were not able to interpret his message, which was, "We thank you for your congratulations." Evidently our weak point is interpreting.

Announcements and plans for the future were presented and then there was an enjoyable session of ice cream and cake, followed by dancing.

All who attended the meeting left with new enthusiasm for the work and a determination to put Kingston on the map of scouting the coming year.

Latest About Mansion House.

The latest news regarding the disposition to be made of the Mansion House, Kingston's famous hotel, which has been vacant some time, was a huge banner that was displayed from the porch on the second floor today. The banner contained the information that the building was for sale or to rent and gave the name and address of the company which now owns the hotel.

Contractors to Meet.

The local National Contractors' Association will hold a meeting tomorrow evening, Tuesday, February 12, at eight o'clock in the Chamber of Commerce rooms, Broadway and Thomas street. It is hoped that there will be a large attendance as business of importance will be transacted.

Cutting Norwich Free.

Men were busy today cutting the Norwich free of ice. The Norwich is berthed for the winter near the Island Dock, together with a number of tugs of the Cornell line. Several times during the winter it is necessary to cut them loose from the ice.

IN THE SERVICE OF OUR COUNTRY



SERGT. EDWARD MIKESH.

Second Cavalry, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont. Enlisted in 1913 in New York.

Corporal Winfield Entrott and his brother, Private Chauncey Entrott, have returned to Camp Wadsworth, Spartanburgh, South Carolina, after a few days' furlough to attend the funeral of their mother.

Mrs. Charles H. Woerner of No. 48 Hoffman street has received word from her son, Private Edward J. Woerner, of his safe arrival "somewhere in France." The weather there, he says, is like summer. He is in good health and felt well all the way across the Atlantic. His address is Private Edward J. Woerner, Replacement Camp Dix Co., D. A. F., France.

LOCAL DEATH RECORD.

Recent Deaths and Funerals of Persons in This Vicinity.

The funeral of N. A. Sims was held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from his late home, No. 66 West Chester street, the Rev. J. J. Bott, rector of the Church of the Holy Spirit, officiating. The honorary bearers were Edward Coykendall, J. Graham Rose, Peter E. Schoonmaker, Henry C. Connelly, Guilford Hasbrouck and Marks Jacobs. The interment was in Montrepose Cemetery.

Elsie Martin Joesbury, wife of William Joesbury, died suddenly at her home in Catskill Saturday morning. Most of her life previous to marriage, she lived in Ulster county, part of the time in Stone Ridge and part in Saugerties. She was in her 64th year. Besides her husband, she is survived by one son, Howard, of New York, and by two sisters, Mrs. Abram Turck and Mrs. Belle Thomas, both of Saugerties.

Mrs. Julia LeRoy, one of Highland's oldest and most respected women, died at her home in that village Friday in her 89th year. The funeral services were held Sunday. She is survived by her daughter, Mrs. Mary Elting, with whom she made her home, and Mrs. George Gregory of Manhattan, Kansas, and four sons, William A. of Kansas City, Albert of Lakehurst, N. J., John of Fairbury, Neb., and Luther of Washington, Kansas.

M. Julius Hardenburgh, formerly of this city, died suddenly at his home in New York city on Saturday, aged 67 years. For the past two weeks Mr. Hardenburgh had not been feeling well but his illness was not sufficient to keep him confined to his home. His wife on Saturday morning heard him moving about their room at an early hour and on receiving assurance from him that he felt well, fell asleep, to awaken half an hour later to find that he was dead. Death was due to heart trouble. For a number of years Mr. Hardenburgh was engaged in the drug business in this city, as a member of the firm of Cooper & Hardenburgh. His former partner, William M. Cooper, died recently. Later he engaged in the confectionery business on Wall street, occupying the store now owned by Tony Nekos. About twelve years ago he went to New York city, where he had since been connected with R. H. Macy & Company. Mr. Hardenburgh was a man of unusually genial disposition and made many friends. He is survived by his widow who was Miss Maria L. Winne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Winne, and by one daughter, Mrs. W. Romer Teller of Boise City, Idaho, and also by one brother, John Hardenburgh of Des Moines, Iowa. The remains were brought to this city and taken to the funeral chapel of A. Carr & Son where they will remain pending the arrival of Mrs. Teller from Idaho.

Last Big Dance.

On Tuesday evening, Feb. 12, there will be held at the Polish school hall, Delaware avenue, the last big dance before Lent as there will be no entertainments until Easter. The young people of the parish made special preparations to enjoy with their friends this the last evening before Lent. Prof. Schwalbach with his popular orchestra of three pieces will supply the music for dancing. Refreshments of all kinds. Good time to all. Come, enjoy fastnacht.

Shopping Was Brisk.

Local shoppers were out in force Saturday and the merchants report that business was brisk that evening.

FOUR KILLED AND FOUR CAPTURED

American Patrol Falls Into German Ambuscade in "No Man's Land," Somewhere in France.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

With The American Army In France, Feb. 11.—An official report on the action between an American patrol and a large German force which ambuscaded it in "No Man's Land," shows that all of the Americans fought bravely to the finish notwithstanding the fact that they were pitted against odds and at the disadvantage of having been surprised.

Four Americans were killed, another died from his wounds, one other was wounded and four were captured.

The fighting lasted about a minute and a half during which the Germans continued to shout.

Complete details of the encounter which have just been received, show that there were 14 Americans in the patrol, who suddenly found themselves surrounded by a large number of Germans.

After rounding up four men, the Germans withdrew, leaving four dead Americans, two wounded Americans and four uninjured doughboys on the field.

The Americans continued firing at the retreating forms of the Germans as long as they could be seen.

One American attracted by the groaning of one of the wounded men, went to his side and gave him a drink of water.

Another started to crawl back through the wire to give the alarm.

Machine gun and rifle bullets in a perfect rain was directed toward the enemy until the American guns started to put down a barrage.

Cries in German proved that our fire was well directed.

One of the wounded men had started to crawl through the entanglements in front of the American trench line, but his strength gave out. He was found by a comrade and carried in.

A second American patrol was quickly sent out. It discovered the five dead bodies (The fatally wounded soldier having died in the meantime) and one very much alive American who was lying beside the corpses ready to fight in case the Germans came back to search the dead.

There was considerable artillery activity on Saturday night when one American was killed and five wounded by German shells.

The sector of the western front now held by the Americans is no longer under the command of a French general. For almost a week the Yankee soldiers holding part of the battle line have been under the direct command of an American general.

CHICAGO ROUNDS UP 1,000 SUSPECTS

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Chicago, Feb. 11.—Chicago's police stations are bulging with prisoners today after the greatest roundup of suspected criminals in the history of the city. Almost 1,000 men and women have been taken in a determined police drive to curb the recent epidemic of outlawry. The round-up is still in progress.

One bandit, who picked a time when the anti-crime drive was at its height to rob a motion picture theater, is in the hospital ward of the jail today with a bullet wound in his head and numerous contusions elsewhere about his person. A second suspect who attempted to break away from the police, was shot and probably fatally wounded.

Chicago's first "central criminal station" was opened today and victims of a score of recent robberies and hold-ups were called in to identify prisoners taken in the round-up.

Scores of crimes, including the sensational robbery of the Illinois Central passenger station a week ago, will be cleared up, it is expected, as a result of the anti-crime campaign.

ABOUT THE FOLKS.

Myron Weil is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Weil.

Miss Caroline Weil of New York city, formerly of Kingston, is visiting friends in town.

Mrs. M. Christiana of Kerhonkson has been spending a few days with friends on Pine street.

Mrs. H. R. Leeder is in New York city purchasing spring millinery and also attending the millinery opening.

Charles Gabeler, Jr., infant son of Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Gabeler, is recovering from illness at the Benedictine Sanitarium.

Miss Edith Lockwood and brother, Jack, of the Island, and Walter Pine of Cottekill spend the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Christiana of Pine street.

A nine pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Buchanan on Friday evening, at No. 361 Washington avenue. Dr. Gillette is the attending physician.

HURLEY.

Hurley, Feb. 11.—A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Smith Sunday morning. Mother is doing nicely; father is feeling fine.

FARMERS ARE NOT HOARDING POTATOES

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Albany, Feb. 11.—As the result of a special investigation which has been conducted by Director H. E. Babcock of the Bureau of Conservation of the New York State Food Commission, special efforts are being made to counteract the charge that potatoes are being hoarded by the New York State farmers and to induce a greater use of potatoes. Director Babcock state positively:

"New York State farmers generally are not hoarding potatoes. They have simply been unable to market their potatoes because of extreme cold weather, the uncertainty of securing cars and the unsatisfactory condition of railroad transportation. There is hope that the latter condition will soon be better, through co-operation between the Food Administration and Director General McAdoo. Farmers will continue to be up against bad roads for a long time."

In order to induce the greater use of potatoes in the diet, to relieve the cereal shortage and to prevent great losses to farmers who largely increased their production of potatoes last year, a special bulletin on the use of the potato as a food is being printed this week by Food Commission for distribution throughout New York city and New York State.

Director Babcock also warns against undue increases in retail prices.

"Profiteering," he says, "should be guarded against and any evidence which is found should be reported immediately to the County Food Administrator. The farmer must get his cost of production if there is to be a normal planting this spring and only in this way can a reasonable supply of potatoes or a fair price be assured for the coming year."

PEACE TREATY WITH UKRAINIA

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Amsterdam, Feb. 11.—The treaty of peace effected by Ukrainia and the Central Powers, provides that the frontier between Ukrainia and Austria shall remain as it was before the war, said a dispatch from Vienna today.

Other terms of the pact follow:

1—Prisoners of war shall be released under agreement providing for their return home.

2—There shall be no reparations nor indemnities nor compositions between individuals nor states.

3—A joint commission will be organized for the establishment of economic relations.

4—Payment for goods shall be made in gold and a commercial treaty will be drawn up to be in effect for at least six weeks after a general peace has been concluded.

5—Territorial adjustments (aside from the decision to allow the pre-war Austro-Ukraine frontier to stand) will be made later.

6—The Polish-Ukraine border to be defined at a later date.

7—Ratification of the treaty to be followed by the evacuation of territory involved.

The peace treaty between Ukrainia and the German allies imperils still further the position of Roumania. Roumania lies between Ukrainia and territory of the Central Empires.

TWO MEN INJURED UNLOADING LUMBER

At Island Dock Sunday for Kingston Shipbuilding Corporation — One Man Had Arm Broken and the Other a Rib.

Two men employed by the Kingston Shipbuilding Corporation unloading lumber at the Island Dock were injured Sunday. George Augustine of 79 Ann street received a broken arm, while Philip Naccarato of 163 North street sustained a fractured rib. Naccarato was removed to the Benedictine Sanitarium and later to his home. Augustine is also at his home.

Youngster Was Some Shouter.

A youngster who, judging from the volume and deep quality of his crying, is blessed with a wonderful pair of lungs, broke the Sunday quietude of Broadway Sunday afternoon. He not only cried, but he howled and kicked and laid right down on the sidewalk and refused to let the woman with him lead him another step and did not bury the hatchet until the woman bought him some candy from a store near by.

Police Court Docket Clean.

There were no arrests made during Sunday by the police and the police court docket was clean today.

At Kingston City Hospital.

Harold Carson of 117 Henry street was removed to the hospital in the ambulance Saturday.

U. S. SCHOOL FOR SHIPYARD WORKERS

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 11.—The United States shipbuilding program, on which rest the fate of the American army in Europe and our allies, would fall flat without the army of shipbuilders being recruited by Chairman Edward N. Hurley of the United States Shipping Board, for which New York state must furnish 52,000 skilled workers.

County enrollment agents report many applications for the Hurley blanks, on which the workers sign their name and address and state the occupation they are expert in, and then the card is mailed to Mr. Hurley's office. The men will be called as they are needed.

The County Home Defense Committee of New York state have been notified that the final week of the campaign for shipyard volunteers begins today, and they are asked to report to the State Defense Council the number of enrollment cards handed out up to and including February 14.

Skilled mechanics enrolling in the United States Shipyard Volunteers need have no fear that their special ability will not fit into shipbuilding. The United States Shipping Board realized from the start that there were not in the entire country even a small fraction of the necessary hands already trained to shipbuilding specialties. Three months ago it completed its plan to bridge this gap between the average artisan and the shipbuilding specialist.

Under the superintendence of E. E. McNary, the Shipping Board has established at Newport News a shipyard normal school. In a warehouse supplied by the Newport News Dry Dock Co., an expert staff of a dozen instructors drawn from all parts of the country takes in hand the men who come to be taught. As the first comers graduate, others take their place. 150 can be accommodated at any one time. These pupils are by no means novices in shipbuilding; on the contrary they are the best and most experienced men in the yards. They include foremen of riveters with twenty years service behind them—men entirely competent to do excellent work themselves and to direct other mechanics. What they learn at Newport News is how to pass along their knowledge—and incidentally, as they have themselves admitted—they acquire more efficiency in their own specialties.

The pupils of the Newport News schools are put right to work under service conditions. There is no division into classes, no artificial atmosphere. They are taught while they are actually building ships on full time schedule at full wages. They are paid by the shipyards where they are regularly employed, while these yards in turn receive $5 per man as partial reimbursement.

After a month or six weeks of training the Newport News graduates return to their yards where they take charge of less competent men and educate them to higher service. Their first job is to fit men already capable of good work to do better work—to take responsibility and qualify as foremen. Their second job is to teach new men how to adapt their skill in other trades to the requirements of the shipyard. In this instruction the same conditions are repeated as at Newport News—the pupils are taught individually under service conditions. They learn how to build ships by building them. Even the production department of the yard is not allowed to interfere with pupils under the tutelage of the Newport News graduates.

GERMANS MUST NOT LEAVE THE CITY

Those Who Have Registered With Police Must Secure Written Permit Before Changing Residence—35 Have Registered.

So far thirty-five Germans have registered with the police department. As told in Saturday's Freeman the time of registration has been extended until Wednesday. Under the regulations no German who has registered can change his address or leave Kingston until he has first received written permission from Chief Wood. Within fifteen days after registration each registrant will receive a card from the police department which he must carry with him and which shows that he has complied with the law in registering. These cards must be obtained at police headquarters and each man registering is notified at the time to come back later for the card.

"Billy" Was Not There.

"Billy" Allen, head of the musical company that played at the Kingston Opera House last week, did not appear in the play Saturday night, although his name was on the program. No explanation was made for his absence.

Many Out Sunday.

The comparatively mild weather of Sunday brought out many pedestrians who braved bad walking conditions to take advantage of the weather man's offering.

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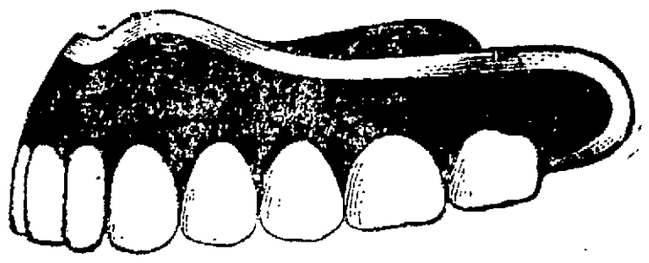
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City Taxes.

NOTICE is hereby given that the tax roll of the City of Kingston has been left with me for collection of the taxes therein mentioned, that FOR THIRTY DAYS every person, corporation or association may pay his or their tax to me between the hours of 9 a. m. and 4 p. m., except Saturday, when they may pay their tax to me between the hours of 9 a. m. and 12 noon at the office of the City Treasurer, City Hall without any additional charges, but for TWENTY DAYS succeeding TWO PER CENT FEES will be collected. That if any tax shall remain uncollected at the expiration of the time last mentioned, I shall give to the person or persons against whom such taxes remain unpaid a written or printed notice requiring said person or persons to pay such unpaid tax to me at my office, WITHIN THIRTY DAYS THEREAFTER with FIVE PER CENT FEES thereon and ONE DOLLAR extra for such notice.

For the further convenience of taxpayers this office will be open Tuesday evenings, during the next thirty days from 7:00 to 9 o'clock.

JAMES E. CANFIELD,
City Treasurer.

Treasurer's Office, City of Kingston,
February 1 1918.

NOTICE OF BOND SALE.

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Dated Wallkill N Y February 2nd 1918

ROBERT TERWILLIGER,
Supervisor Town of Shawangunk,
Wallkill, New York.

TIME TABLE OF
ULSTER & DELAWARE R.R.
IN EFFECT SEPT. 9, 1917.

Trains are due to leave this city as follows:

Rondout Sta., †6.25, †7:30 a. m.; †2:15 p. m.

Union Sta., †7:00, ‡8.00 a. m.; †2.40 p. m.

Trains are due to arrive as follows:

Union Sta., †11.35 a. m.; ‡5.15, †7:10 p. m.

Rondout Sta., †11.35 a. m.; ‡5.35, †7:50 p. m.

† Daily except Sunday. ‡ Sunday only.

CITY GIRLS FOR FARM LABOR

The question of utilizing city girls and women for farm labor is just now attracting much attention. Charles H. Betts, secretary of the State Food Commission, is receiving many offers from organizations of women of various kinds as well as from individuals tendering their services to labor on the farms, and many plans have been submitted for sending out from cities girls and women in groups to live in camps and barracks and in unoccupied houses fitted up as dormitories with matrons and housekeepers in charge

In speaking of the utilization of city girls and women on farms the coming season, Director Huson said:

"It is a splendid, patriotic thing that so many women are ready and willing to go out onto the farms and aid in food production, but I fear some of them fail to appreciate the difficulties and hardships connected with the work. There are locations where groups of girls and women may be employed to advantage picking berries and small fruits, weeding vegetables, and some other forms of light work, and I hope their services will be utilized to the fullest extent wherever practical in work of this kind; but the housing and maintaining of groups of women workers, with a matron and housekeeper for each group and the necessary camp equipment, presents a difficult problem and a somewhat expensive proposition.

"There is, however, another line of farm work which will afford a splendid opportunity for these young women to render a real patriotic service and contribute their full share towards increasing the country's food supply. If, instead of offering their services as farm laborers, except in the lines of work above mentioned, they would volunteer to go into the farmers' kitchens, and relieve the farmer's wife of the cooking, dishwashing, sweeping and cleaning, so that the farmer's wife, who is familiar with all kinds of farm work, would be free to go to the field with her husband, lightening his burden and rendering valuable service in operating the mowing machine, tedder, rake, binder, riding cultivator and other farm machinery taking the place in many cases of the son or hired man who has gone to the front;

"There are at least 25,000 farm homes in this state where these patriotic city girls and women would be most welcome during the summer months and paid good wages—homes as refined and comfortable as those from which they would come. Life on a farm is delightful during the summer months, and these young women would not be made to feel that the work required of them was drudgery. There would be recreation and pleasure as well as work, as most farmers now own automobiles and time would be found for trips to town in the cool of the evening and longer rides through delightful country scenery. They would, of course, be treated as members of the family and safeguarded as well as with their own families at home.

"Perhaps doing farm work in the farm home lacks some of the elements of adventure and picturesqueness as compared with living in a camp and working the fields in a fetching uniform, but it would be a hundred times more effective, and appreciated a thousand times more by the farmer and the overworked farmer's wife.

THE VLY.

The Vly, Feb. 11.—James J. Van Demark returned home Wednesday after spending a few weeks at his daughters, Mrs. Leon Osterhoudt, of Highland, and Mrs. Chauncey Scott of Poughkeepsie and Mrs. Richard Pinkham of Long Island.

Mrs. Hazzie Trowbridge spent Thursday with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Depuy of Krumville.

Mrs. Charles Krum called on Hattie Jansen the past week.

Moses Van Demark was a caller at Stone Ridge one day last week.

Charles Krom and Silas Krom made a trip to Kingston last week. They found the roads quite bad, hardly passable.

William Wood started for Kingston last week and got as far as Hurley. The road was closed with snow, so he had to return home.

Irving Lockwood is spending some time with Charles Krom and family.

Hazzie Trowbridge called on Moses Van Demark Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday on business.

Alonzo Trowbridge is spending a week at his daughter's, Mrs. William Wood.

Donation at Woodstock.

The Lutheran congregation will hold their annual donation in the M. E. Hall, Woodstock, N. Y., on the evening of Tuesday, February 19. Should it prove stormy, the first fair evening thereafter. A variety supper will be served.

Two "Billys."

Billy Dean had a dog named Billy. One morning his mother opened the front door and asked a little neighbor boy if he had seen Billy, meaning her son. The boy asked, "Do you mean Billy Dean or Billy dog?"

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GOOD THINGS FOR THE TABLE.



Two or three bunches of green onions, cooked stems and all, and served on toast with a rich white sauce, makes a most tasty dish. Arrange as asparagus is served.

Sour Cream Omelet.—Separate the yolks and whites of six eggs, add a teaspoonful of salt and a little pepper, beat thoroughly, add three-fourths of a cupful of sour cream and beat again. Whip the whites stiff, fold into the yolk mixture and pour into the omelet pan with a tablespoonful of hot fat. Cook gently until browned on the bottom, then set in the oven to cook on top. Fold and serve on a hot platter.

Chicken en Ramekins.—Take a cupful of diced chicken, add two chopped pimentoes, and a cupful and a half of rich white sauce. Fill buttered ramekins and cover with buttered crumbs, place a whole almond in the center of each dish and brown in a hot oven.

Mary Pickford's Fried Chicken.—Dress and quarter two chickens. Beat two eggs, adding two teaspoonfuls of salt and a few dashes of pepper. Dip the chicken first in this, then in flour. Melt a half cupful of sweet fat in a hot pan and when sizzling hot add the chicken, brown well. Slice one onion and sprinkle over the chicken, then cover tight and simmer for one hour. Remove the chicken and add four tablespoonfuls of flour, a pint each of heavy cream and milk. Let it boil up once and season well. Pour over the chicken and serve or serve the gravy in a separate dish.

Bean Scallop.—Soak a generous cupful of dried Lima beans over night. Drain off this water in the morning, cover with fresh water with a teaspoonful of salt and simmer well covered four hours, then add three onions cut in slices and cook another hour. Drain off most of the liquor, put into a baking dish, turn in a can of tomatoes, cover the top with buttered crumbs and bake in a moderate oven until the top is well browned.

Pot Cheese With Chives.—Wash and cut the chives as fine as possible, then mix with cottage cheese, adding cream from time to time as needed. Make into balls and turn over them a little sweet, thick cream.

Nellie Maxwell

To Free the Slaves.

(By Edith M. Thomas of The Vigilantes.)

If a persistent rumor be true, there are already on the other side and waiting to engage the Common Enemy a khaki troop.—the "men in bronze," they have not unsuitably been called. And of this troop it may be said, with only the appearance of paradox, that they, the direct descendants of slaves who were freed by the supreme try-out of war, are in Europe at this moment for the purpose of freeing other slaves!

These auxiliary black men, who are not unwarrantedly expected to be splendid fighters when their hour strikes are in Europe to free white men now in the bonds of a slavery worse than the so-called "African," of two generations ago in this country!

I have not the "figures" before me, as I write; but are they needed? Everyone, by this time, knows that the virtual slaves of the Imperial German Government run into the hundred thousands—men, women and girls (I have not for nothing added and underscored that last word!)

These slaves, of a most pitiless helotage, have not the "patriarchal" care from their masters, which used to be alleged—and not without truth in many instances, of the old system here, which South as well as North was at last thankful to be delivered from.—No! The slaves of Germany still await their "Uncle Tom's Cabin" annalist who shall yet more burningly fire the heart of the world with their wrongs—with the ruthless division of families, the robbery of the well-to-do, and the stripping of the poor—the whole unparalleled story of the "deportations" in Belgium and in "Occupied" France.

We have all supped full of these horrors—but, as such "suffering endureth no extreme," we have, in a way, dismissed them from our minds. Let us not do so. Let us keep ever before us on the tablets of remembrance (or of graphic vision) the facts about these hundreds of thousands still in the iron grip of their (and our) bitter foe: let us especially remember that this slavery does not alone break the body but also the spirit of the subject—that under threat (and we know not what of physical penance) these slaves are made to forge stronger the chains of their own captivity, through their masters' employing them upon military labor, or as substitute-laborers for those civilian Huns who are thereby released for army service.

Yes, the purpose of this war is, in large part to free the slaves! There is, at this moment, no actual Freedom on the face of the earth—save the Freedom-to-fight, and so, to remove the fettering implication upon us all, if we should tolerate through any manner of inert indifference this enslavement of any portion of the Human Family. We who have not in the past tolerated the enslavement of the black, shall we now tolerate that of the white—though the latter be "3,000 miles away!"

It is probably anti-climax to the above idea, to add, that, by the winning of this war we shall set free several million other slaves (whose moral condition is of less "happy estate" than their Imperial master's Belgium and France slaves)—I mean, the hoodwinked, serpent-charmed inhabitants of Germany itself. Anyhow, since we Americans love what we are want to call a "slogan," let us adopt, from now on, the following—To Free the Slaves!

Do Not Borrow Trouble.

I saw a delicate flower had grown up two feet high between the horse's path and the wheel track. An inch more to the right or left would have sealed its fate, or an inch higher; and yet it lived to flourish as much as if it had a thousand acres of untrodden space around it; it never knew the danger it incurred. It did not borrow trouble, nor invite an evil fate by apprehending it.—Thoreau.

When---Monday Evening, February 11.

Where---Kingston, New York State Armory.

Who---Kingston Shriners' Association.

What---Dance.

Why---Proceeds for the Industrial Home.

WALTER OSTRANDER—Who Is He? The short, stout fellow, was for years with Sam Bernstein & Co.

IRA WOOLSEY—Who Is He? The tall, smooth face fellow, was for years with Sam Bernstein & Co.

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CHARLES C. UPRIGHT,
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Gardiner, New York.

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Dated August 20th 1917.

PAUL L. GIBSON
Executor

Frederick Stephan, Jr., attorney for executor, 21 Broadway, Kingston, N. Y.

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Dated, October 20, 1917.

ANDREW M. TAYLOR,
Administrator.

Henry E McKenzie, Attorney for Administrator, Port Ewen, N. Y.

SHRINERS HOLD BIG DANCE TO-NIGHT

To Be Given at Armory For Benefit of Industrial Home—Shriners Will Wear Their Fez—Elaborate Entertainment Besides Dancing.

The Shriners' dance at the armory tonight for the benefit of the Industrial Home will be the mecca of hundreds of Kingston people who are anxious to aid a worthy charity.

The dance will be the biggest social event of the season and an elaborate entertainment will draw many people who do not dance because of the excellence of the program which has been arranged.

The entertainment will begin promptly at 8:15 o'clock with a concert program by Muller's orchestra of twenty pieces, which will be followed by fancy dancing by Edward Layman and Florence Chelsea, the well known artists of New York city. The second part of the program will open with a concert program by the original New Orleans Jazz band, after which Muth & Roberta will give their latest dancing hit, showing the newest ballroom steps.

Music for dancing throughout the evening will be furnished alternately by Muller's orchestra and the Jazz band, Muller furnishing music for waltzes and the Jazz band for the one-step and fox trots.

All Shriners will wear their red fez and the armory will present a brilliant appearance. Besides all members of the Kingston Shriners' Association, there will be many visiting Shriners from Albany, Hudson, Catskill, Saugerties, Newburgh, Poughkeepsie, New York city and Newark, N. J.

ESOPUS.

Esopus, Feb. 11.—News of the death of Mrs. Mary Stuart Andrus of New Rochelle, N. Y., was received last week by relatives in Esopus. The deceased was a cousin of Mrs Orlando E. McLain Mrs Edward Ashton Mrs. John O. Beaver and the late Charles Bedford. In her girlhood and also during her early married life, she resided in Highland.

Mr and Mrs. William Votee of Kingston were guests of Mrs. Phebe McLean on Sunday.

Miss Belle Davis of Kingston visited her sister, Mrs. Elmer Lund on Saturday.

Prayer meeting will be held at the home of Rev R. M. Roberts on Thursday evening of this week at 7 30

Raymond Stewart who for the past two weeks has been suffering from the effects of a severe cut on his right leg, just above the ankle, is beginning to hobble about the house and expects to be able to walk again.

Mrs. Fred Freer is recovering from a recent severe attack of grip

On Tuesday evening last, Edwin Meyers of Kingston, district president of the Order of Patriotic Sons of America came to Esopus for the purpose of installing the officers of the organization for the year 1918 Mr. Meyers experienced much difficulty on account of the heavy drifts on the state road and it was 10 30 p m, when he arrived. The following were installed President, Leslie Elmore Mott, vice president, Calvin Cole; past president, Darius Wagar; master of forms, Ernest Palen, conductor, Marshall Hasbrouck, guard, William Walkham; treasurer, Samuel E. Mott, financial secretary, Elmer Lund; recording secretary Leslie Ackhart; trustees, Calvin Cole, Ernest Palen and Darius Wagar. After the installation exercises, refreshments were served and a pleasant social hour was enjoyed by the members present.

Mrs George Butler and two little sons are visiting relatives in Schenectady and Catskill. Mr. Butler is in Florida attending to some work upon the farm of Judge Alton B Parker and will be absent from home for several weeks yet.

WOODSTOCK.

Woodstock, Feb 11.—Mrs Henry W. Bruk, who has been ill is improving.

There was no service in the Reformed Church on Sunday on account of no heat

The Rev. Mr Libby preached a very interesting sermon on Sunday morning from the text, Phil 3-13.

The Lutheran Church will hold its annual donation in the M. E Hall February 19th All are cordially invited.

The Lydian Society of the Reformed Church will hold the February meeting at the home of Mrs. Hiram Boree on Wednesday, February 13th. If story the meeting will be held the next fair day A good attendance is requested.

Junior Red Cross Organized.

The parochial school of the Immaculate Conception Church, Delaware avenue, is doing its bit towards the war fund of our great nation. Rev Francis Lesniewski, rector and superintendent, organized Junior Red Cross of the school children and they will cheerfully begin among their friends the campaign for funds on Lincoln's Birthday, February 12.

Dance in Wilbur.

A dance will be given at the Holy Name Hall, Wilbur, this evening under the auspices of the Dramatic Circle All are invited. Music by McLean's orchestra.

On Monday Evening, Feb. 11
At Kingston Armory
KINGSTON SHRINERS' DANCE
Proceeds for the Industrial Home

ELLENVILLE.

Ellenville, Feb. 11.—William J. Duggan, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Duggan, of Center street, has enlisted with the signal section of the Aviation Corps and is now in training at Fort Slocum.

Miss Marie Kramel of Newark, N. J., spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kramel.

Mrs. R. B. Hastie of Ulster Heights has gone to spend some time with her husband at Saratoga.

Clark Bunting, who has a position in Middletown, spent Sunday at his home on Church street.

Mrs. Henry Horton has been spending the past week with her mother, Mrs. N. LeFevre, at Maplewood.

At the union services held at the M. E. Church on Sunday, the Rev. H. G. Corleis of the Lutheran Church delivered the sermon at the morning service. An anthem was rendered by the choir, Mrs. John W. Rapp taking the solo part and Mrs. E. B. Kimble contributed a contralto solo. In the evening, the Rev. J. E. Appley delivered the sermon in place of the Rev. W. S. Maines, who was still confined to his home by illness. The prayer service of the M. E. Church will be held at the home of E. A. Smiley on Church street on Wednesday evening, and of the Reformed Church at the home fo John H. Richardson on Maiden Lane, the same evening.

The Sewing Circle of the Lutheran Church will be held at the home of Mrs Ulster Palmer on South Market street, Tuesday afternoon. The Y P. L. A. will meet at the home of John Rippert Tuesday evening The first Lenten service will be held at the parsonage on Wednesday evening at 7.30.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Young entertained the Fortnightly Club at their home on Napanoch road Monday evening.

There will be examinations for typewriters and stenographers for government service at the Ellenville postoffice Friday, February 15.

A break of the large main of the local water pipe on Circle avenue, near Warren street, was the cause of many households in all locations from it to be without water for nearly 36 hours. It was quite a dilemma to be in at this season of the year, but the people were very patient over the matter, although considerable discussions were under way.

Mr and Mrs. N. N. Moneypenny and daughter, Miss Molly Moneypenny, are to leave on February 21 on a trip to California, to be absent several weeks.

It is understood that Mrs. Cunningham will accompany the judge on his trip to Camp Wadsworth, where he is to deliver an address on Washington's Birthday The invitation, which came from the supreme officers of the Knights of Columbus has been accepted by Judge Cunningham.

Mrs Burr Eaton has been reported quite ill at her home on Warren street the past week.

Mrs H W Coons will entertain the members of the Dorcas Society at her home on Center street Thursday afternoon.

Beginning in March, Ellenville Musical Club will meet in the Hunt Memorial Hall. The club is arranging for a concert to be given during April

The entertainments given by members of the Senior Class of the high school Friday and Saturday evenings, were well attended and the play entitled "The Heiress Hunters," received well merited applause. All taking part to make it a success, deserve especial mention.



SERGEANT-MAJOR J. A. WHITE.

KEEPS THE FEET OF SOLDIER IN PERFECT TRIM.

Sergeant-Major J. A. White is doing his bit for Uncle Sam in rather a unique way. He is serving as the only chiropodist with the forces of Uncle Sam in France.

The care of the feet is of the utmost importance to the success of an army so Sergeant-Major White must see to it that at least that portion of our fighting men is kept in the pink of condition.

Poughkeepsie's Snow Harrow.

The new snow harrow obtained by Poughkeepsie recently was put to a test Saturday in that city on the thick layers of snow and ice covering Market street. It was drawn by a team of horses and managed by two men, one in the driver's seat and the other standing on a wooden platform from which he regulated the levers. The machine set on snow runners has knives adjusted by levers and these can be regulated to cut into the deposits to any required depth up to 8 inches. The test was fairly successful.

Pre-Lenten Dance Tonight.

This evening a pre-lenten dance will be held in St. Peter's school hall, and an enjoyable time is assured those who attend Schwalbach's orchestra will furnish music for dancing. There will also be refreshments.

Economy Hints For Tuesday Buying

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3.97	" "	- -	3.39

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Men's Short Black Wool Lined Rubber Boots, regular price $3 48
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Men's 2 buckle Wool Lined Arctics, regular price $2 25
Boys 4 buckle Wool Lined Arctics, regular price $2 25.

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Children's 2 buckle Arctics
Boys' 1 buckle Arctics
Youths' 1 buckle Arctics.
Childs' 1 buckle Arctics.
Misses' 1 buckle Arctics
Women's Romeos Alaskas

Table No. 3 at 98c

ON THIS TABLE ARE
Men's 1 buckle Wool Lined Arctics, regular price $1.50.
Boys' 2 buckle Wool Lined Arctics, regular price $1 60.
Misses' 2 buckle, regular price $1.60.

On This Table at 98c

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Boys' 2 buckle Wool Lined Arctics, regular price $1 60.
Misses' 2 buckle Wool Lined Arctics, regular price $1.60.

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HENS, HUMANS AND CORN.

The newest food regulation will prevent licensed wholesalers from buying live hens until the first of May and will result in laying hens being given unrestricted opportunity to produce eggs to the estimated number of 1,500,000 dozen. It is estimated that the killing of every laying hen at this time of the year represents a food loss of thirty eggs. Dealers will be allowed two weeks in which to dispose of live poultry now on hand. There is hardly a household in Kingston which has not been substituting poultry for beef and other meats during the winter, partly because of the higher price of meats and partly in response to the appeals that food products which can be shipped abroad for our soldiers and those of our Allies shall be used for that purpose instead of local consumption. Meatless days have not been intended to prevent fowl from being served, as it was desirable that the stock of frozen poultry in storage be drawn upon and reduced. While this reduction has been to some extent brought about, further forcing in that line is probably necessary and the practical result of the new regulation will be the elimination of any except frozen and stored poultry from general use until the first of May. Poultry raisers who have been selling live hens to wholesalers for the market must keep instead of kill their hens, for more than two and a half months. Their position under the new regulation may not be an enviable one because of the cost of feeding, and the increased demand for eggs which must naturally follow curtailment of the use of poultry may not be sufficient to offset increased expenditures for feed, but the clearing out of the enormous stock of frozen poultry will probably have a beneficial effect on future prices. The poultry regulation, however, must impress on everyone the danger of famine which confronts the world.

The practice of householders to put eggs in storage for their own use has been growing only in the past three or four years and is a clear indication of the general food shortage of the world which has made such storage most desirable. Eggs may be cheaper in the fall than in the spring months, but the wise householder who puts eggs away in the cellar for winter use buys them in the spring, finding from experience that they are better at that time than those purchased later. The spring-laid eggs are not subject to the heat which comes later, when eggs spoil rapidly if left for any considerable length of time, and deteriorate even if promptly marketed provided the weather is warm enough. The best-keeping eggs for storage, therefore, are those gathered in the spring while the weather is still cool, and the new food regulation in that way will operate to the advantage of the householder as well as the daily consumer. It is unlikely that there will be any regular tumble in the price of eggs, because of the increased demand which is sure to follow promptly the enforcement of the new rule. There also will be an increased demand for eggs for hatching because many people will raise a small number of fowls just as they raised a small quantity of potatoes last year, in order to increase the food supply and reduce the family cost of living. This must naturally result in an increased demand for wheat, corn, oat, and other cereals for food supply for the hens as well as food supply for the people. Thus it would seem that the corn crop, next to wheat, would be the most advantageous as well as the most necessary to be raised this year.

Ice storage along the Hudson river, under the Wagner bill, is authorized to be contracted for in the present season to an amount not exceeding two million tons in excess of the amount usually harvested and stored along the river, and if the harvest of such a crop is begun at once, the demand for labor in the Hudson Valley will increase to an extent never before known. There is no surplus-age of labor anywhere along the river, and if any man who is capable of performing a day's work remains idle from now until next fall he will have only himself to blame. For that matter, any able-bodied man who neglects to work should be punished in a manner commensurate with the offense because the public has a right to demand the maximum efficiency of everyone while the war lasts. At present the demand for labor whose fruits will be required by the public will be for the ice harvest to be undertaken under direction of the state ice comptroller. As soon as spring weather conditions permit the land to be worked, farming must be considered by the man who can work as the field which self-preservation requires him to occupy. Every idle day this year means not only less money with which to make purchases at higher prices than formerly, but likewise means a lessened supply which in view of serious famine which is likely to affect this country cannot be risked. Production must be to the limit

The local labor market is not overstocked and the neglect of the municipal woodpile at the City Home, to which attention has been called recently, furnishes the best evidence that whoever is idle is not suffering provided he is an able-bodied man. The needs of philanthropy come principally from those who are too old to work or from women whose condition of ill-health or duty to dependents prevents them from assuming some part of the additional burden imposed by the war. As a rule philanthropic effort nowadays is directed to individual cases rather than to community or neighborhood classes. Although these cases probably are more isolated than formerly, they are nearly as numerous and the evident desire, which is increasingly apparent, of the beneficiaries to help toward their own support calls to active service the best judgment and efforts of social workers. The contributions toward funds for the care and comfort of soldiers abroad and in cantonments in the United States have been generous, but it must be remembered that while such contributions have been called forth by war conditions, we continue to have calls for home charities as usual which must be attended to either by voluntary contributions as formerly or by taxation. In view of the general impetus toward labor and away from idleness, the kind of local charity which helps others to help themselves seems wiser than that which is supported through taxation.

LITTLE LAUGHS.

He—"Before we were married you used to say there wasn't another man like me in the world." She—"Yes, and now I'd hate to think that there was."—Boston Transcript.

Horace—"There's your friend Simpkins. I am afraid he's going to get soaked to the skin. Why don't you ask him under your umbrella?" Ely—"I'm afraid he would recognize it!"—Judge.

"I'm going to smash that dude," declared the bad man of the camp. "Nawsir," demanded the sheriff. "He's looking for trouble." "G'wan! Quit trying to pick a fight. A feller never looks for trouble with a monocle."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

"There's one thing about this prohibition in Crimson Gulch that I'm a little afraid of," said Broncho Bob. "Why, you all look better." "Yes. But it's liable to result in great loss of life. It has steadied our nerves so that everybody shoots with unerring accuracy."—Washington Star.

Unnecessary.

The Town Council of a small Scotch community met to inspect a site for a new hall. They assembled at a chapel, and as it was a warm day a member suggested that they should leave their coats there.

"Some one can stay behind and watch them," suggested another.

"What for?" demanded a third. "If we are all going out together, what need is there for any one to watch the clothes?"—Tit-Bits.

Re-Christened.

Two brothers of the name of Lawes, creating a disturbance at the Dublin Theater, were called to order by the celebrated Felix McCarthy, who was in the same box. One of them, presenting his card, said: "You shall hear from one of us. Our name is Lawes." "Lawes, is it?" quoth Felix. "Then I'll give you an addition to your name," and, exerting his well-known strength, handed them out of the box, exclaiming, "Now, by the powers, you're both outlaws!"—Rochester Times.

Of a Saving Disposition.

It was an ingenious husband who sent his wife shopping in a taxi the other day. A friend who happened to see him say good-bye to her from the curb remarked on his apparent extravagance.

"It's economy, really," said the husband. "Wherever she's in a store she'll be waylaid to death because the taxi is eating up money all the time, so she won't stay long enough to spend half as much as she would if she went out on foot or in a street car."—New York Times.

TWENTY AND FIVE YEARS AGO.

Feb. 10, 1893.—Death of Mrs Catherine Thomas, aged 72 years.

Herbert Carl bought stock of A. Sturgeon & Company for $6,055.

Feb. 10, 1903.—Frederick Lynes bought confectionery business of C. Roscoe Banta on Wall street.

Feb. 11, 1893.—Death of Mrs George H Sharpe.

Delegation from Mannheim attended the Arion ball in New York.

Litigation between Kennedy corporation and Dr. C. Kennedy over use of mails begun.

Feb. 11, 1903.—Ezra DuBois died in Fort Ewen, aged 34 years.

Joseph A. Spitz and Florence L. Eisenberg married by the Rev. C. L. Palmer.

ULSTER CO. FOLKS IN THE FAR WEST

Dorr Monroe, High Falls Veteran, Writes Interesting Letter About Former Residents He Saw On His Trip.

The following interesting letter was written by Dorr Monroe, a former resident of High Falls, a civil war veteran widely known in this city and county:

Box 514,
Soldiers' Home,
California.

Dear ——:

I have been thinking of writing to you for some time both because I would like to hear how things and people are in High Falls and because I have something to tell of some of your friends I have met out here.

I left John's in Kingston the forepart of August for Dayton, Ohio. I took John's boy, Dorr, with me. We stopped over one day at Niagara Falls, as Dorr had never seen the falls and they are well-worth visiting. We arrived at Dayton Wednesday, August 8, about 4 p. m. and found Alice and family well, and judging from appearances, glad to see us. Dorr stayed until August 29th and he and Frank's boys, yes all of us, had a fine time going about the city visiting the Soldiers' Home there, the cash register works and other places of interest, picnicking etc. I stayed until October 17, when I started for Spokane, Wash., where my oldest son, LeRoy, lives. He is employed in a drug store at Wallace, Idaho, about 100 miles from Spokane. I stopped a few days at Chicago, or the suburb of Chicago, to visit my youngest sister, who was then living with her son. From there I went by Great Northern to St. Paul, and then by Northern Pacific to Duluth, Minn. I had seen in The Freeman that Maud Kentor was at Duluth, but the board of education said they know of no one by that name, so I hunted no more. When I got to Spokane, I found out that she was there after all. Well, I stayed at Duluth one day and then started for Wallace via N. P. R. R. I went through Fargo, Bismarck, Billings, out where Mrs. Krom's son, LeRoy, lives, but it was about midnight when we got there so did not stop. On beyond there or between Bozeman and Helena, Mont., we were held up four or five hours by a derailed train ahead of us, so we did not get to Missoula until six. I stayed over night at Missoula, and next day I reached Wallace at 4 p. m.

I found LeRoy, was with him about a week, when I went on to Spokane and stayed there with LeRoy's wife and his wife's sister until November 15th, when I started for San Francisco.

I visited Seattle, Tacoma, and went through Camp Lewis on way to Olympia, where I visited Mrs. Fredenburg, the mother of Mrs. Dr. Kemble of Kingston. From there I went to Portland, Oregon, where I found Henry Reid and wife, formerly of Stone Ridge, and I stayed there two days, then went via S. P. R. R. to Roseburgh, stayed overnight and the next day went to Grant's Pass where I stopped to look up Byron Terwilliger, but found he had recently moved to North Yackim, Wash. It seems the beet sugar company have moved their plant. I found Grant's Pass a very nice little town, but they miss the sugar plant. It seems the country is not adapted to the raising of sugar beets.

From there I went to Redington, where I stayed over Sunday. The Sunday previous I was at Olympia. Monday our train was due at Redington at 9:30, but did not get there until 2:30 p. m., so I go no farther that day than William's and the next day arrived at San Francisco, and at about 3 p. m. reached Berkley, Cal., where I found Mrs. Clymer, Jessie and the children. Mrs. Clymer was in San Francisco and got home at night. I visited there nearly a week. On Thanksgiving Day we all went on a picnic out to Walnut creek, 45 or 50 miles distant, and had a fine time. One day I went over to San Francisco and found Paul DuBois. He still has the store at 800½ Turk street, but has that looked after by a woman while he is employed at the S. P. freight house, having charge of one section in house No. 1. He looks well and is the same Paul. Doing well too, no work to do, only to oversee 6 or 8 men, and see that things are loaded in the right car, etc.

Monday morning I started for here via S. P. R. R., coast route, stayed over night at Santa Barbara, and got in Los Angeles about noon and out here at the home about 4 p. m. and reported to the captain and was assigned to the only bed vacant, which was the one I had slept in just one year before.

I had to stop writing to go to dinner. The second table has dinner at 1 p. m. I have to eat at the second table yet as the quartermaster is short on clothing and I have no uniform yet, and all who are in citizen's clothes have to eat at the second table. Perhaps it will interest you to know what we had. Vermicelli soup and crackers, stewed cauliflower, baked lima beans, steamed potatoes, cucumbers, pickles, white and graham bread, butter and coffee, and cornstarch pudding and lots of it. I did not take everything today, being Wednesday is meatless day.

Well, to begin where I left off before going to dinner. I am enjoying it here very much. We have had no frost, roses, geraniums and lots of flowers are in bloom, but not as many as we have in the summer. It is very dry and the ground looks very barren, except where they can irrigate. Have had only one or two little rains since last March or April and the ranchers if they pray at all, are praying for rain, I guess. It is getting late for them to get in their oats and barley, etc., on the upland where they cannot irrigate. If they are not gotten in soon the summer heat will burn them up before they can come to maturity, so you see it's not all gold that glitters, brag as they may of their fine climate. It's very nice to winter in, but one gets tired of it after a while, at least I do. That's one reason why I came east last year, and I may come again this spring, at least, as far as Alice's at Dayton, Ohio.

I have been rather pitying you when I read in the papers here of your extreme cold and snow storms. But I think the California papers exaggerated in their accounts of the storm east. Still, I suppose it has been bad enough, for John has told of some of it and the scarcity and high price of coal. This last I cannot see into exactly, as I thought Mr. Garfield set the price if he could not control the amount.

I have been down to Orange, about 50 miles south of Los Angeles, on a 10 days' pass to visit Clarence Pine, youngest brother of Alice Pine and James Pine. He has a small ranch down there. He raises English walnuts and oranges for sale and also has enough small fruits for his own use, besides garden truck, etc. Great place here for garden truck. Can have ripe tomatoes, lettuce, etc., all the year around if they try for it, but of course they do in their natural season. Clarence is also janitor for the union high school.

I have seen George Krom of High Falls once since I came here. I saw him at his Hotel Baltimore, in Los Angeles.

Well, I have written a whole lot more than you will care to read likely, but don't be afraid of writing too much about High Falls and the people. With kind regards to you and all my friends there, I will close.

Yours very sincerely,
DORR MONROE.

WEST PARK.

West Park, Feb. 11.—There will be no service in the Baptist Church during the month of February.

Mrs. Gilbert Ackert and daughter, Ella, and son, Leslie, spent Thursday in Poughkeepsie.

Jesse Jones has returned home from a visit at Poughkeepsie.

Miss Florence Green and Miss Eleanor Marceus spent Friday in Poughkeepsie.

Mrs. Frank Coutant spent Thursday in Highland.

Mrs. Percy Ackert was a visitor in Highland on Friday.

Mrs. Pierre Travis spent Saturday in Highland.

The dance held in the school house on Friday evening was very largely attended and greatly enjoyed by all present. B. J. Murray's orchestra of Kingston furnished the music for dancing.

Frank Ackert and Raymond Green spent Saturday in Poughkeepsie.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Elliott are moving their household furniture to Plutarch.

Mrs. Walter Burger spent Friday in Poughkeepsie.

Mrs. John Wood and daughters, Mary and Florence, are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. James Ackert.

Elmer Green has accepted a position in Poughkeepsie.

OUR DAILY PATTERN.



A Charming Three-Piece Suit.
Coat-Waist 2184. Skirt 2187.

The waist of this could be of crepe, silk or crepe de chine, and the coat blouse and skirt of jersey cloth, serge, silk or satin. Pattern 2184 furnishes the coat blouse and waist, and 2187 the skirt. The waist and coat blouse are cut in 7 sizes: 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44 and 46 inches bust measure. It requires 2⅝ yards of 36-inch material, for the waist, and 2⅞ yards for the blouse, for a 36-inch size. The skirt is cut in 7 sizes also: 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32 and 34 inches waist measure, and requires 3⅝ yards of 36-inch material for a 24-inch size. The skirt measures about 2½ yards at the foot.

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ACCORD.

Accord, Feb. 11.—Alex Wynkoop moved into H. L. Devoe's tenant house Thursday.

H. E. Schoonmaker and David Coddington are enjoying a week's vacation in New York city.

Miss Mary Schoonmaker is spending some time at her country home in this place.

Miss Georgie Baird of Kingston came home for a week-end visit Saturday.

Mrs. Rufus Markle spent Saturday at Kingston.

Francis Davenport is still very ill.

Elijah Churchwell of Ulster Landing was in town Friday.

Leslie Lawrence and William Brown of Leibhardt were in town on Friday.

If you want to enjoy a good laugh come to the play at the M. E. Church Hall February 14, entitled "Back to the Country Store." Cast of characters is as follows:

Abimeleck Quigley Higginbotham, known as "Quig" William Osterhoudt.
Mrs. Jerusha Higginbotham, Quig's mother Alice Coddington
Amariah Higginbotham, Quig's father Chester Quick
Dudley Weatherwax, Quig's crony ... Ross Coddington.
Miss Marguerite Van Buren, Quig's best girl Mary Lawrence
Miss Maria Judkins, his second best. Marial Christian.
Hiram Huckleton, a village grocer .. Alfred Miller.
Mrs. Garlinger, a country dame Bertha Hendrickson.
Mrs. Timless, a widow with six assorted burdens Jennie Atkins

Time of play, two hours. In three acts. Children, 10 cents; adults, 20 cents. Ice cream, cake and coffee will be served after the entertainment. Proceeds for the pastor's salary. If stormy, next fair night.

The talented members of Accord Council, No. 51, J. O. U. A. M., are working like beavers rehearsing for their minstrel entertainment which will be given at the Odd Fellows' Hall on February 20. It will certainly be some show. Adults, 20 cents; children under 14 years, 15 cents.

Proceeds for the Industrial Home
Attend the Shriners' Dance TO-NIGHT.



LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY

IN TIMES like these, when patriotism issues its highest call; when the great lives of the nation's patriots are commemorated; when the spirits of men leap within them, and flame with the fire of patriotic sacrifice as they read the heroic story of brave deeds on land, in the air, on the sea; in times like these we who stay at home cannot help wishing that we could do "something like that;" render to the common cause some great service.

But let us not forget that patriotism is a spirit, not merely an act: that the housewife, the farmer, the mechanic, the school boy or girl, can discharge the trifling daily task with the same high spirit of Lincoln, or of the soldier in the trenches.

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For the six months ending Dec. 31, 1917, interest was credited Jan. 1, 1918, at 4 per cent per annum.

Interest not drawn will be added to the principal and draw interest.

Money deposited on or before February 3rd and remaining in the bank until July 1st, 1918, will be credited with five (5) months' interest.

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Deposits made on or before Mar. 3, 1918, and remaining in bank until July 1, 1918, will be credited with four (4) months' interest.

Interest will be paid on all sums from one dollar to three thousand dollars.

Accounts may be opened by mail for which a bank book will be forwarded on receipt of New York draft, certified check, post office or express money order.

Rooms for the convenience of ladies are a feature of the banking house.

Interest at the rate of 4 per centum was declared for six months ending December 31, 1917.

Deposits commence to draw interest from the first of each month.

Money withdrawn before January 1 and July 1 will not be entitled to interest.

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Interest credited semi-annually, January and July.

Money withdrawn before January 1 and July will not be entitled to interest.

Deposits commence to draw interest on the first of each month.

All deposits made on or before the 10th day of January and July draw interest from the first days of those months.

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In the opening paragraph of his inaugural address as Premier he says: "I would like to quote the well known words of Abraham Lincoln, —"*We accepted the war for an object, a worthy object; the war will end when that object has been attained. Under God I hope it will never end until that time.*"

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All at the lowest in the year prices
VanWagenen's—First Floor



Important News for MEN

VanWagenen's Is a MAN'S Store, Too—

Witness These Sales!

Men's 25c and 29c. Initial Linen Handkerchiefs
On Sale TO-MORROW at..... 19c
Fresh, perfect, 'kerchiefs, but not all initials

Sale of Arrow Shirts at 1.49
New patterns, values to 2.00

Clean-up of Odd Shirts at 79c
Fine materials, values to 1.50

Sale of CARTER'S UNION SUITS at - - - 1.69
—regular 2.00; heavy cotton rib fleeced cream union suits with collarette neck, long sleeves, ankle length.

Men's Fine Mixed Wool Unions at.....2.50
To-days value 3.50 Next fall you'll pay $4

Sale of Wool Finish Shirts and Drawers at - 79c
regular 1.00; grey mixed; future price 1.50

Fine quality Outing Pajamas at 1.89

Sale of White Gloves
At 1.75

$2.00 Imported French Lambskin Gloves, white glace—our "Edith" one-clasp, soft, pliable quality, beautifully sewn, fancy embroidered backs.

These gloves are perfect fitting and will be appropriate for either street or dress wear. All sizes in white, with two-tone black embroidery.

Sale of Women's Handkerchiefs—3 for 25c

Fine textures, hemstitched, initials; others with colored embroidered corners. Values 12 1-2c each.

Running Out the Ribbons to Everyone's Great Profit

Lingerie Ribbons—All Silk Wash Ribbons in white, pink and blue; 5 yards to piece. No. 2, 15c; No. 1 1-2, 12c; No. one, 10c.

29c Remnants, 19c yd.—Dresdens, Satins, Taffetas, fancy stripes, etc, 5 1-2 and 6 inches wide. Choice at.....19c

Women's reg. 2.50 Silk Envelope Chemise — *Special at* - 1.98

—Fine quality
—Crepe de chine, in flesh only

GARMENTS perfectly cut and finished. Some trimmed front and back with lace insertions; some with filet lace; some with satin ribbon straps over shoulder. And others and others. Save a straight 50c throughout.

Regular 89c Gowns - 59c
Made of nainsook, round neck, trimmed with lace or embroidery edge and ribbon run beading.

2.00 Night Gowns - 1.59
Made of nainsook, slipover style, trimmed yokes of fine lace and insertion.

Envelope Chemise, 79c
Regular 1.00. Made of nainsook, empire styles, trimmed with lace insertions and ribbon beading

1.00 Bungalow Aprons - 79c
In all sizes, made of pink and blue, black and white stripes and checked percales.

Sale of Silk Stockings

Special at
Usually 1.25
Usually 1.50
Usually 1.75
Choice at **$1.00**

Black, white and all best shades and novelty effects. Silk or lisle tops.

The Best 2.00 Taffeta—

Made in America is Here at - 1.69

This taffeta is made by one of America's finest manufacturers—a name that would be the highest possible recommendation to women who know satins and silks.

The taffeta is pure silk to the last thread; pure dye also, a combination of perfection seldom found in present day silks. Good looking and long wearing; a silk for style and service. Navy blue and black, all new colors 36 inches.

Why You should Buy HOUSEHOLD LINENS

—before prices advance again

THE New York representative of one of the largest and most reliable Irish linen manufacturers notifies us that he can accept no more orders at present and no encouragement is offered for the future.

The linen situation is becoming more acute every day, with absolutely no prospects improvement. All the flax in Ireland is under British Government control, and most of it is being used for aeroplane cloth and other military uses.

In view of these facts we strongly urge all our customers to replenish their linen chests now while our stocks are well assorted and

Prices Are From 20 to 35% Lower

—than those we should have to charge if we bought linens on to-day's wholesale or manufacturing markets.

All Linen Pattern Table Cloths

Many Rare Offerings This Week—

Sale of $4. 68x68 in. all Linen Damask Cloths 2.98
There are only a few of these and and though some are slightly soiled they are worth 4.00 each.

Beautiful Damask Cloths—all pure linen—Specially Priced

2x2 yards—5.00 and 5.98
Values are positively 6.50 to 8.00

2x2 1-2 yards—5.00, 7.50
Values are postively as high as 10.00

Napkins to match the above:
22x22 in. regular 8.00 per dozen, sale.....5.95
26x26 in. regular 12.00 per dozen, sale.....8.95

Napkin Special—

All linen Napkins of excellent quality; to-day's value 7.50 dozen
22x22 inches, February Sale 4.50
This Week Only! Extra Special!

Here is a wonderful chance for those having large round tables. Note this February Sale offering—

90x90 inch finest "Gold Medal" Linen Pattern Cloths
—In beautiful designs, actual value 15.00 each - 9.50

Sale of Pattern Cloths, at $1.29

$1.75 White cotton damask cloths, hemmed ready for use. Three neat center designs, with border all around.

2.00 Napkins to match 1.59 per dozen

All-Linen Damask by the Yard

1.75 Linen Damask - 1.39

Good quality Irish Union Damask; beautifully finished; wears and launders splendidly; 70 inches wide. Regular price 1.75 a yard. February Sale price 1.39

$2.00 All Linen Damask—February Sale 1.59, yard

Imported from Belfast, Ireland, silver bleached, all linen Table Damask. 70 inches wide, in a beautiful range of designs. Launders nicely. This is an exceptional offer.

2.50 "Gold Medal" Pure Linen Damask, Extra Special February Sale, yard 1.98

Sale of 54x54 inch All-Linen $5, $6 LUNCH CLOTHS February Sale at 3.98

Fine All Linen Lunch Sets 3.98, 5.00 and 6.50
Actual values 5.50 to $10

Beautiful Hand Embroidered All Linen Sets, 7.50
Actual Value 11.50

Napkin Special!

Heavy mercerized Napkins in beautiful designs copied from the finest "Gold Medal" linens—

This grade is used extensively now in Hotels and Restaurants—extremely serviceable. February Sale, dozen 2.98

Cotton Damask February Sale—59c
64 inches wide, an extra quality, in choice patterns

First news of a Great February Sale of dependable Rugs, Floor Coverings and Draperies.

A remarkable assemblage—high in quality—very low in price, offering Many RARE BARGAINS

This February Home Furnishing Event is in tune with both good taste and economy. In every way it is a PRACTICAL sale—for service, not for show. Yet the items offered are full of beauty and desirability—the very latest in design and coloring, chosen to bring luxury WITHOUT EXTRAVAGANCE to the homes into which they come.

Prominent among the money-saving opportunities are these:

39.50 Axminster Rugs.....29.85
45.00 Axminster and Wilton Rugs.....34.00
59.50 Finest Wilton Rugs.....49.00
89.00 French Wilton Rugs...68.50
Extra size Rugs that are worth double the price asked
1-size 11-3x12 Brussels Rug...26.50
1-size 11-3x12 Extra Axminster Rug.....42.00

89c Colonial Rag Rugs.....59c
22.00 Tapestry Brussels Rugs 17.50
7.50 Fibre and Wool Rugs.....5.98
2.25 Axminster Rugs.....1.69
5.50 Velvet Rugs.....3.98
7.50 Wilton Rugs.....5.50
60c Fibre Matting, the unfadeable kind.....45c
45c Rugoleum, the yard.....29c
59c Linoleum Tracker, yard.....45c

Sale of Brussels and Velvet Hall and Stair Carpets at 69c to 1.98 the yd for regular 90c to 2.50 grades. Small figured patterns, excellent colorings.

Inlaid and Printed Linoleums

Our entire stock is open for your choosing at the following reduced prices. All sold by the square yard.

Inlaid Linoleum	Regularly	Sale Price
Medium weight Inlaid	1.25	95c
Heaviest weight Inlaid	2.00	1.75
Fine quality Printed	79c	64c
Best Process Linoleum	59c	39c

Cretonnes—Curtains—and all Drapery Goods at absurdly low February Sale Prices. Watch the newspapers each day.

Sale of 59c and 75c Jewelry

—Brooch Pins —Bar Pins **25c** Lingerie Clasps —Hat Pins

Large assortments, new varieties, present day styles. Finished in gold and silver; some set with colored stones.

VANWAGENEN'S

The War-Time Thrift Store

LUCKEY, PLATT & CO.

February Trunk and Bag Sale

The Celebrated "Neverbreak Trunks," Also Likly Luggage, Including Trunks, Suit Cases and Bags.

No. 801 Neverbreak Steamer Trunk, 30 in., for **$6.38**, worth $7.25.

No. 801 Brass Trimmed Trunks, have 2 center bands Excelsior lock, size 34 in., for **$7.12**, worth $8.25.

No. 803 Brassed Trimmed Trunk, 2 straps, Excelsior lock, 28 in. size, for **$7.49**, worth $8.50.

No. 803 Trunk with brassed trimmings, Excelsior lock, same as above with 2 straps, 30 in., for **$7.88**, worth $9.00.

No. 803 Trunk with brassed trimming, Excelsior lock, same as above but larger size 34 in., for **$8.79**, worth $10.00.

No. 811 Brassed Trimmed Trunk, fibre binding, heavy clamps, 3 center braces, 34 in. size, for **$10.19**, worth $11.25.

No. 900 Heavy Brassed Trimmed Trunk, heavy clamps, full size dress trunks, 34 in. size, for **$7.88**, worth $8.75.

No. 902 Brassed Trimmed Trunk, 2 center bands, full dress size, 34 in. size, for **$8.63**, worth $9.75.

No. 906 Brassed Trimmed Trunk, 2 straps, same as above, 34 in. size, for **$9.75**, worth $11.00.

Likly Brassed Trimmed Trunk, full dress size, all fibre covered round edge, 34 in. size, for **$19.50**, worth $22.00.

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NILES, TENNIS EXPERT, WINS SKATING CONTEST.

Nat W. Niles of Boston, the noted tennis star, won the figure skating championship at the Arena Ice Rink at Boston, after a close fight with Sherwin C. Badger, the sixteen-year-old wonder of Boston. Many of the leaders of skaters in the country competed in the contest, but were eliminated to Badger and Niles. Niles earned the judges' decision after a spirited contest.

Difference Between Them.

"A big man," said Uncle Eben, "forgives other people's mistakes. A small man don't forgive nobody's but his own."

Worth Remembering.

"A man dat's allus thinkin' 'bout his self," said Uncle Eben, "don't give his brain enough exercise to keep him from gettin' narrow-minded."

DO NOT SHOOT ARMY PIGEONS

The Committee on Public Information issues the following:

Numerous complaints have been made to the Pigeon Section of the Signal Corps that carirer pigeons of the racing homer type being trained throughout the United States for communication service with the American army, have been shot by persons on hunting expeditions.

In spite of the fact that many states have laws prohibiting the shooting of pigeons, the killing of these birds by hunters has interfered seriously with the training of homing and carrier pigeons for army service. It is believed that the persons responsible for the death of these birds are unaware that they are hindering an important branch of war preparation.

Should Not Be Molested.

Because of the important part carrier and homing pigeons are playing in the war, and the great need for their breeding and development in this country, the war department has considerably expanded the Pigeon Section of the Signal Corps. Homing pigeons constitute one of the most effective means of communication in the army, and are especially valuable as a sure method of replacing other means of communication. The breeding and training of pigeons, therefore, is of paramount necessity as a war measure.

Any pigeon in the air may be a carrier pigeon flying from a loft under government supervision. Its destruction may be a serious loss to the American army. All persons, therefore are urged to refrain from the shooting of pigeons and to discourage the practice by hunters and children.

Marked "U. S. A.-18."

Persons coming into possession of pigeons labeled "U. S. A.-18," indicating that they are being trained for army purposes, are requested to report the fact at once to the office of the Chief Signal Officer, Land Division, Washington, D. C.

PORT EWEN.

Port Ewen, Feb 11.—Port Ewen Lodge, No. 656, I. O. O. F., will meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock in their rooms in Pythian Hall.

A jolly good time awaits you at the dance to be held in Pythian Hall Wednesday evening, Feb. 13th. This dance is given under the auspices of the Esopus Council, No. 42, Sons and Daughters of Liberty.

William M. Stephenson of Broadway, who is employed at the Nitro Powder Company's Works at Mingo Hollow sustained a bad fall Saturday. While in the act of disconnecting pipes his foot slipped and he fell a distance of eight feet, striking his back and head rendering him unconscious. He was brought to his home in the afternoon. Dr. G. W. Ross is attending him.

D. W. Benton of Kingston was the guest of friends here Sunday.

The regular monthly meeting of the Epworth League Society will be held Tuesday evening, February 12th in the Methodist Chapel.

Cleola Freer is very ill at her home on Hamilton street.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Schoonmaker of Ulster Park were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Schoonmaker on Schryver street Sunday.

Harry Jump of Broadway is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Jump at Hensonville.

Ray Doyle of Kingston spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Le Grand Doyle on Riverside avenue.

Two mounted state troopers were seen passing through our village Sunday afternoon. Their military appearance and erect riding attracted considerable attention.

Conference of Consistories.

There will be a conference of consistories within the boundaries of the Classes of Kingston and Ulster at the Y. M. C. A. rooms Wednesday, Feb. 13th, at 11 o'clock. Rev. Abram Durvee and John F. Chamberlain of New York will bring a most interesting message. Representatives of the various churches are urged to be present. Luncheon will be served in the Y. M. C. A. building.

Miles of Sweatbands.

The sweatbands of the 127,492,872 hats and caps that were made in the United States in 1916—an average year—would make a single band two inches wide and 265,625,000 feet long, enough to go twice around the world, with enough left over to make a nice bow somewhere along the equator. The Scientific American is responsible for these figures and for the statement that in this tape there would be 44,000,000 square feet of leather; that the trimmings of the hides used in these hatbands amount to at least 11,000,000 square feet more. This leather would make the tops for 20,000,000 shoes. No wonder leather substitutes are now being used for hatbands.

Electric Street Directory.

The City of New York has recently prepared an electric street directory to enable any person who may be lost to find their way about. If a person be lost, all he has to do is to go to one of these directories and he can find the location of any building, street or car line by pushing an electric button on the keyboard, for the location he is seeking will be illuminated by a little six-volt incandescent lamp. The directory board is 16 square feet in area and the map is divided into 56 sections for the city of greater New York. The current for the board is furnished by storage batteries.

ROWING OUTLOOK IS QUITE GOOD

Will Occupy Position of Importance in Athletics.

CORRECT FORM OF EXERCISE

Both Indoor and Open Water Training for Oarsmen of Various Eastern Colleges—Regattas Under Certain Conditions.

(By C. HALSTED MAPES, Chairman Board of Stewards, Intercollegiate Rowing Association.)

While it is still too early to state definitely the outlook for competitive rowing during the coming season, I feel confident that the sport will occupy a position of importance in the athletic activities of the Eastern colleges in 1918. As a means of physical development and recreation, rowing has always held a deserved prominence in the athletic life of the undergraduate. There is, moreover, under the present conditions, an additional and pressing need for a continuation of the upbuilding of the collegian both from a bodily and mental standpoint. I know of no better form of exercise to help to achieve this than rowing with its demand for a perfect co-ordination of mind and body in the individual oarsman and the crew as a whole.

To Continue Rowing.

That this is thoroughly realized by those in charge of athletics at the various colleges, which have sent crews to both Poughkeepsie and New London in recent years, is shown by the plans to continue rowing, even though in a modified form, during the coming season. There will be both indoor and open water training for the oarsmen at Columbia, Cornell, Pennsylvania, Yale, Harvard and Syracuse. Interclass and college regattas will be held and under certain conditions there is a possibility of some intervarsity competition, although not upon as important a scale as that which marks college rowing in normal times.

Interest in Sport.

Fall practice was held at a majority of the institutions which have supported crews in the past and reports from all these centers indicate that the students evinced marked interest in the sport, when the number of unusual activities which are now a part of regular college work are taken into consideration. That this same interest and enthusiasm will continue throughout the winter and increase with the coming of spring appears quite certain. Rowing will be supported so long as it does not interfere with the more important duties of the undergraduate in his relation to his college and the country at large, and those in charge of the sport can be counted upon to see the danger line is not overstepped.

WHY GOLF GAME IS POPULAR

One Sport Where Individual Is Supreme and Mistakes of Opponent Do Not Assist.

Golf is the one game where the individual is supreme. No matter how poorly one man plays, the other cannot win unless he himself plays better. The mistakes of one player do not themselves rid the other unless he avoids making the same or other errors.

The tennis player scores when the other player drives out of bounds or into the net. The football team tallies when the punt is dropped or the ball is fumbled. A dropped fly ends many a baseball game when victory seems sure for the other side. And so on in every sport but one, and that is golf.

If the one golfer drives out of bounds or tops his drive or shoots into trap the other man benefits not at all unless he plays better golf.

SHOCK TO GOTHAM SCRIBES

President Rickey of St. Louis Cardinals Gives Writers a Jar by Overlooking Donovan.

Desperate efforts of friends of Bill Donovan in New York to name Bill manager of the St. Louis Cardinals fell through. The Gotham scribes boosted Bill to the extent of columns, but President Branch Rickey of the Cardinals, surprising as it may seem, declined to let Broadway scribblers run his ball club for him. His refusal naturally came as a great shock to New York sporting editors.

CADDIE HAD RIGHT IDEA IN ADVISING BEGINNER.

A beginner at golf was on one occasion taking an unconscionable time to get round a course not far from this city. Several holes had been played in a manner which produced a look of disgust on the face of the caddie. Getting badly bunkered, the golfer tried a number of clubs, one after the other, without success. Turning to the caddie, he inquired:

"What should I take now, boy?"

"You should take the 4:25 car back to the city, sir," was the boy's prompt response.

Beware of Rusting Out.

The vacant house decays soonest, and the watch or the man that is kept running regularly lasts the longest and is of the most service while it lasts.

Men's & Young Men's Clothes, Hats, Shoes, Furnishings

On Wall Street **SAM BERNSTEIN & CO.** Kingston, N. Y.

Men's Overcoats and Suits

$11.75

Overcoats

Overcoats for men or young men. Stylish models. Good weight and fabrics. No advanced prices.

Suits

Suits for men or young men. In Belters, Norfolks, English or Conservative models.

$14.75

Overcoats

Men or young men's overcoats. Trench, Box or Belt Models. In plain or fancy patterns.

Suits

Well made suits. Cassimeres, Worsteds or Serges. Trench, Belt or English Models.

$18.00

Overcoats

Tailor made Overcoats of heavy wool fabrics. Many models. Dark oxfords and black kerseys.

Suits

Equal to custom made suits. Hand made collars and button holes. All wool fabrics. Blue Serges, fine or coarse weaves.

By Paying $1.00 Down

We will hold a Suit or Overcoat for you for any length of time. Choose now and save money.

MEN'S UNDERWEAR **75c**

Fleeced lined shirts and drawers, good weight, well made.

MEN'S SWEATERS **$2.98**

Gray, maroon, brown, black with or without collars, heavy or light weave.

MEN'S UNDERWEAR **$1.00**

Gray or ecru ribbed shirts and drawers; all sizes, good make.

MEN'S MITTS **50c**

Leather Mitts, fleeced lined, knitted wristlets, great value for the money.

MEN'S UNDERWEAR **75c**

Wool-mix or ribbed, heavy weight garments that can not be bought today for what we are selling them for.

MEN'S FLANNEL SHIRTS **$1.95**

Gray, khaki, flannel shirts; ivy weights, full cut, well made.

PREMIUMS

Our line of Premiums is bigger and better than ever. Contains many new and useful articles.

BOYS' SUITS **$4.98**

Trench or Norfolk models, Knickerbocker trousers, in corduroys or cloth mixtures, sizes up to 18.

BOYS' SWEATERS **$1.50**

Boys' Sweaters, heavy weave, gray or maroon, worth $2.

BOYS' MACKINAWS **$4.98**

Warmth without weight, swell patterns, regular $6.50 values.

BOYS' OUTING BLOUSES **65c**

Gray or khaki outing flannel blouses for boys, full cut, well made, warm.

BOYS' SHOES **$2.25**

Scout shoes, leather soles, tan, strongly made; will stand hard wear.

BOYS' CAPS **50c**

Hockey, Aviation or Ear-lapper Caps in many colors and several different shapes.

$2.95 Work Shoes—tan, heavy soles, waterproof lasts, big value. **MEN'S SHOES** English lasts, black and tan, leather or fiber soles. **$4.00**

Try Mother's Bread 3 Large Loaves for 25c

Potatoes Peck 45c

Special at Lasher's

—FOR—

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY

No. 616 BROADWAY

Fresh Eggs, doz. 55c

Try Ward's Cake box - - - 10c

Try Ward's Biscuit 3 for - - 25c

New Sauerkraut lb. - - - - 7c

LAMB. LAMB, LAMB.	
Leg Lamb	28c
Hindquarter	28c
Lamb Chops	28c
Stew Lamb	20c
Forequarter Lamb	25c
ROAST. ROAST, ROAST.	
Best Pot Roast	18c
Best Chuck Roast	18c
STEAKS. STEAKS, STEAKS.	
Best Chuck Steak	18c
Best Hamburg, the good kind	22c
PORK. PORK. PORK.	
Belly Pork	30c
Roast Pork	30c
Loin Pork	30c
Fresh Hams	30c
Pure Pork Sausage	28c
Pork Chops	30c

SMOKED MEATS. SMOKED MEATS	
Bacon, by strip	40c
Bacon, sliced	45c
California Hams	24c
Frankfurters	25c
Mince Ham	25c
Home Made Bologna	22c
Fresh Made Liverwurst	18c
Large Skin Back Hams, whole or half	28c
Pig Feet	10c
Fresh Beef Liver	18c
4 Pounds Royal Butter Oleo for	$1.00
8 large Grape Fruit	25c
Rutabaga Turnips, pk	25c
Best Coffee	30c
Compound Lard	25c
Royal Oleo Butter	27c
Diamond A. Butter Oleo	27c
New Cabbage, head	10c
Best Stew Beef	12-14-18c

Strap Leaf Turnips, pk	20c
Pig Heads	12½c
4 Qts. Beets	15c
4 Qts. Carrots	15c
Potatoes, bushel	$1.75

No high prices at Lasher's Market, the poor man's friend.

Nothing but the best Western Steer Beef in this sale.

Nut Butter Oleo, lb	30c
Try Our Coffee, lb	25c
VEAL. VEAL. VEAL.	
Home Killed Geese	28c
Yuban Coffee	33c
Arbuckle's Coffee	20c
Onions, bushel	$1.50
2 qts. for	15c
4 qts. for	25c
Head Rice, pkg.	12c
Bananas, doz	15c

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Coal in Caucasus Region.

While peasants were recently digging a well near the village of Tzaridvor, in the Ressen valley, in the Caucasus, coal was found 16 feet from the surface; the vein, however, was but 2.25 feet in thickness. Enough coal has already been found in this particular locality to supply the entire neighborhood, and in all probability there are other and greater deposits not yet located.

His Opinion.

Doctor Eaton, a former president of Madison university, was beloved by the students. One day a student who had spoken in debate asked him what he thought of the effort. The doctor looked at him and then said slowly, "Edward, if you would pluck a few feathers from the wings of your imagination and stick them in the tail of your judgment, you would make better speeches."—Christian Register.

Catch Fish In Their Hands.

Fishing in Samoan seas is often done by the women, and without nets, boats, or hooks. They simply wade into the water and form themselves into a ring. The fishes being so plentiful, they are almost sure to imprison some in the ring. Those women are very quick and active, and every time they catch a fish with their hands they simply throw it, alive, into the basket on their back.

STAY CONTINUED BY JUDGE CHESTER

Pending Determination of Application by the City for Removal of Referee Dugan in Railroad Tax Case.

The hearing in the proceedings brought by Mayor Canfield, representing Corporation Counsel William D. Brinnier, Sr., for the removal of John H. Dugan of Albany as referee in the certiorari proceedings brought against the city by the New York Central Railroad Company to review the city's 1917 assessment against the road, will be heard here before Supreme Court Justice Hasbrouck, at a special term of the supreme courton Saturday, February 16, or Saturday, March 2.

The latest move in this matter was made Saturday in Albany before Supreme Court Justice Chester, who continued the order restraining Amos Van Etten, the attorney for the road, and Dugan, the referee, from continuing the assessment proceedings or holding any further hearings until the outcome of the motion to remove the referee.

As told in The Freeman, the first move was made by Mayor Canfield, who filed an affidavit with Justice Hasbrouck, alleging in substance that because of certain acts and statements of Dugan and because of his attitude in the matter, that the outcome of a completed trial before him would not be fair to the city, and that Dugan was pro-New York Central, and asking for his removal and that a referee be appointed in his place.

Amos Van Etten, attorney for the road, then secured an order from Justice Hasbrouck, vacating the stay which the mayor procured. Within an hour after being served with the order vacating the stay, Mayor Canfield obtained from Justice Hasbrouck an order granting a stay in proceedings until the outcome of the application. Dugan came to Kingston Thursday afternoon prepared to hold another hearing, but under the last order he could not do so, so he returned to Albany.

INQUIRES ABOUT THE "SKILLYPOT"

Mayor Canfield Receives a Letter from Georgia Asking for Particulars of Rondout's Famous Relic.

Mayor Canfield has received a letter from T. Wilby, manager of the traffic bureau of the city of Savannah, Georgia, asking the mayor to send full particulars relative to the chain ferry on the Rondout creek, plying between Rondout and Sleightsburgh.

The letter states that "We understand that there is a chain ferry plying across the Rondout creek at Kingston, using a cable and that the barge carries automobiles and passengers.

"We would like to know if the cable interferes with the navigation of deep draught vessels. If the cable lies on the bottom when relaxed we think that it would suit conditions here."

Mr. Wilby asked for other data, including the cost of maintenance, how long the ferry has been running, etc.

The mayor was quite surprised to receive this letter, for he did not know that the "Skillypot" here was known quite so far away as Georgia. He sent Mr. Wilby the data requested.

Sullivan Boys Not Killed.

The fact that Father Prendergast, at the services in the Church of the Holy Name, at Wilbur, on Sunday asked prayers for the soul of a soldier named O'Sullivan, killed in action in France several weeks ago, was twisted by this morning into a report that Corporals James and Henry Sullivan had been killed. The man for whom prayers were asked was a member of an Irish regiment in the British army and a brother of Miss Mae O'Sullivan, a former nurse in the Benedictine Sanitarium, now in Trenton, N. J. He had never been in Kingston or in America. The Sullivan brothers were well when last heard from and no news has been received to give reason to suppose they are not well and safe at this time.



PROMINENT WOMEN WILL ATTE ND CONGRESS OF NATIONAL SERVICE.

Prominent women from all parts of the country will participate in the great Congress of National Service which will be in session at Chicago February 21, 22 and 23. Leaders in patriotic work, education and war activities will be in attendance. The woman's section of the congress, which will hold special sessions for the consideration of the part women can play in the solving of the country's war problems, will be conducted by the National League for Women's Service and the Women's Security League. Mrs. Thomas R. Preston, formerly Mrs. Grover Cleveland, is secretary of the National Security League's Committee on Patriotism Through Education. Miss Kathleen Burke, of the Scottish Hospitals, will speak of her war experiences at the congress. Miss Burke has been decorated by King George for her work on the battlefields. Mrs. Coffin Van Rensselaer, of New York, is vice-chairman of the National League of Women's Service.

FREE SERVICE

There were 319 machines of all makes oiled and adjusted last week by the experts we brought from New York.

This is part of our *"Supreme Service"* plan. Our interest in the machine does not end with the sale.

COLUMBIA SHOP

273 Fair Street.

STELLES' GREAT INVENTORY SHOE SALE

Last Saturday, despite the unpleasant weather one of the largest crowds attended the opening of our Inventory Sale that we ever had, and even those who are regular attendants at our sales, were surprised to find such low prices quoted on footwear of such high grade quality.

The same opportunity is yours this week to secure Best Value Footwear for all ages at prices which are very much less than the same value Footwear could be manufactured for today.

In most instances the sale prices mean a saving of from $2.00 to $6.00 a pair over what the shoes are actually worth.

There are plenty of sizes and widths in many different styles to insure your getting a correct fit.

Footwear for all purposes from extreme dresswear to all-around service shoes. So whatever your shoe desires are, you are sure to find it this week at our sale at big money saving prices.

No goods charged at Sale Prices. No money refunded on Sale Goods. The earlier you purchase, the better assortment you have to select from. About 1,800 pairs now awaiting your selection.

$4.98

About 150 pairs of the season's latest style ladies' footwear, in colors and black; regular $7.00 to $10.00 values at above sale price.

$1.98

About 400 pairs of ladies' shoes in broken lots, all sizes, in one kind or another; shoes that we could not buy today to sell for less than $3.00 to $5.00; at above price.

$2.00

Men's patent leather and heavy work shoes; values from $3.50 to $5.00, broken sizes, all solid shoes, at this low sale price.

$3.98

About 300 pairs of Ladies' fancy and black, high and regular cut footwear, for dress and all around service wear; values $6.00 to $7.00, at above price.

98c

Ladies' house slippers and a few small sized ladies shoes and children's shoes; values to $2.00; going fast at above low sale price.

$3.00

A rare opportunity is offered men with small feet to secure the new style English last tan shoes, which will save you at last $3.00 a pair at above sale price.

$2.98

About 300 pairs of $4.00 to $6.00 ladies' patent leather and dull leather shoes, all sizes; also some of the sample shoes at this low price.

48c

Infants' hard soled shoes, regular 75c to $1.25 values; and ladies' 75c house slippers won't last long at this low sale price.

$1.48

Children's high cut and regular cut footwear, sizes 5 to 8, and 8½ to 10½; values $2.00 to $3.00; a rare money saving opportunity as above sale price.

Discontinued Styles in Men's $1.25 Rubbers, now 75c; Misses' and Ladies' First Quality Rubber Boots, values $2.25 to $2.75, now $1.50. Children's best value Footwear values to $4.00, now $2.48. This sale eclipses all our former efforts in the matter of values offered and great price reductions and deserves your attention.

E. T. STELLE & SON, 298 Wall Street, Kingston

TURNS TABLE ON DRAFT BOARD.

Modest Man Upsets Physician's Snap Judgment.

It happened in the office of one of the local draft boards in New York, the number of which William B. Davenport, formerly of the Hughes appeal body, sponsor for the story, refused to divulge.

The three board members were seated at a large table conversing when a young man, well dressed and of intelligent appearance, entered the door limping.

"Here's a fellow that's had a fall on the ice and wants us to examine him before he has a chance to recover," one of the officials remarked, and the others indicated by nods of their heads that their conclusions were in harmony with his.

The young man reached the table and said: "If you please, sirs, I would like to have my physical examination hastened."

"Can't be arranged," snapped the board physician; "you will have to wait your turn the same as every one else."

"I am very sorry," said the young man, "because my firm wanted to send me abroad next week and I cannot get my passport until you have given me an exemption."

"And what makes you think that you would get any exemption?" the board physician asked. "How do you know that we would not send you to camp in the very near future"

"Because, sir," said the young man with a grim smile, "I have lost one of my legs."

The board doctor was somewhat confused by this reply, and he asked: "Where did you meet your accident?"

"In the Battle of the Somme, sir," replied the youth; "you see, I was in the Foreign Legion."

Mr. Davenport states that not only did the registrant get an immediate exemption but that one of the board members dropped his work to accompany him to the passport bureau and see that all of his matters were expedited.—New York Evening Sun.

FLATBUSH.

Flatbush, Feb. 11.—Mrs. Chester Pearson is spending some time in Kingston with her sister.

Titus Osterhoudt, an old and respected resident died at his home on January 30th at the age of eighty-six years and funeral was held on Saturday afternoon at the Flatbush Church with interment at the Wiltwyck Cemetery.

Lewis Swart, who has been ill for some time, is slowly convalescing.

Mrs. Harry Lasher and children Gladys and Helen of Brooklyn, who have been the guests of W. H. Swart, have returned home.

Mrs. Benjamin Osterhoudt, who has been quite ill, is a little better at this writing.

Miss Mary Osterhoudt has been visiting Miss Christina Fonda at Glasco.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond T. Osterhoudt of Newburgh attended the funeral of his grandfather, Titus Osterhoudt last week.

Opal Without Color.

The opal has no color in the sense of pigmentation. To break open an opal in order to observe its hues would be equivalent to killing the goose that laid the golden eggs. Neither golden eggs nor rainbow hues would be found.

ORPHEUM THEATRE | *Wednesday, Feb. 13*

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FOR K. OF C. WAR CAMP FUND.

United Cigar Stores Co. Will Donate Proceeds to Help the Work.

In connection with the Knights of Columbus War Camp Fund Campaign, announcement is made that every sale made in a United Cigar Store throughout the United States on Thursday, February 14, will yield a return to the fund. By arrangement made by Supreme Knight James H. Flaherty of New Haven, Conn., and Edward Wise, president of the United Cigar Stores Company, the company on that day will donate five per cent of its gross receipts to the fund. As the company operates upward of 1,200 stores in 400 cities, the plan promises to yield a handsome amount to the fund. All purchases are included in the plan. The War Camp Fund is being used by the Knights of Columbus in maintaining buildings at army cantonments in this country and in the American camps abroad where the soldiers are provided with a place for recreation, for reading, writing and amusement, and Knights of Columbus buildings and the Y. M. C. A. buildings furnishing the only places of recreation which the soldiers have in camp.

KERHONKSON.

Kerhonkson, Feb. 11.—The Willing Workers of the M. E. Church will have a food sale at Russell Van Etten's store across from the station on February 16. A general line of food will be on sale with hot coffee sandwiches, soup and fritters served from 11:30 on. Any one wishing to take soup home can buy by the quart.

There will be a Valentine Social at the Reformed Church on February 14.

Mrs. Brodhead is spending a few days with relatives at Kingston.

The Willing Workers met at the home of Mrs. McConnell the past Wednesday. A good crowd was in attendance for the day. All those who were not able to attend don't know what they missed, as Mrs. McConnell is a royal entertainer.

Mrs. Harrison Burger is very ill at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. George Decker are receiving congratulations over the arrival of a baby boy at their home one day the past week.

Mrs. M. Christiana has returned from spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Christiana of Kingston.



MICHIGAN TROOPS IN TRAINING. ©INT'L

MICHIGAN BOYS WHO MAY HAVE BEEN ABOARD TUSCANIA.

The troops on board the torpedoed liner Tuscania were mainly from Michigan and Wisconsin National Guardsmen. The photo shows some of the Michigan boys in training on the Mexican border. The Michigan Guardsmen aboard the Tuscania received their final training at Camp McArthur, Texas.

ALWAYS WANT LITTLE MORE

This Human Tendency Makes Possible One Woman's Odd but Useful Trade With Auto Owners.

In the American Magazine we read of a woman who has made a comfortable living through supplying passengers to automobiles and vice versa. The writer visited her to learn her method and she was preparing to tell of her experience when the telephone rang. "You wish to go to Concord Saturday afternoon?' I heard my hostess inquire and then, after looking into a record book which lay on the desk near the telephone, she added, 'Yes, I can accommodate you. A car will call at your home Saturday afternoon at two o'clock. . . . You say you are coming back Thursday? There is one seat left in a car which is coming in at 4:30 in the afternoon. Will that be satisfactory? All right. . . . Yes, I will send my statement to your husband. Good-by.'

"Just then an automobile drove up and a gentleman entered. 'I am taking my family up to our camp at Brunswick for the summer,' he said. 'My car will make the trip twice a day from now until the first of September. You can list it to leave here at ten o'clock in the morning and five in the afternoon; coming down it will leave Brunswick at seven in the morning and two in the afternoon. It will come by Concord.'

"When I mentioned the question of price, the agent said, 'The prices are based on the mileage on each dollar which passes through my hands. I pay the car owner a certain price per mile for each passenger carried, and then I charge the passenger this sum plus my commission. This does away with any dealing between the car owner and the people he carries.

"'At first I was afraid my idea would not work, for I could hardly believe that a man who could own an automobile would be interested in saving so small a sum as a dollar or two; but I have found few who would not put themselves out a bit to save a little money—no doubt that is why they are able to own an automobile.'"

Coquette's Sad Ending.

The life of a coquette is very like that of a drunkard or opium-eater, and its end is the same—the utter extinction of intellect, of cheerfulness of generous feeling, and of self-respect. —Mrs. Jameson.

Tunisian Products.

Tunis has always been chiefly an agricultural country—cereals, wine, and olives being the principal products. There are also numerous flocks and herds of live stock. The native populations of the south live on the products of their date palms and fruit trees.

Unclaimed Letters

List of unclaimed matter advertised at Kingston, N. Y., week ending February 11, 1918.

Anderson, Miss Selma
Brewster, Mrs. Susan
Edmonston, Geo. E.
Hunter, Miss Elizabeth
Heller, Mrs. M.
Kirmier, Mrs Emma
Mazzei, Giovanni
McNamara Ed.,
Oliva, Luigi
Oliva, Luigi
Paiello Paolo
Snyder, Geo. T.
Van Orden, Elder W.

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WILSON REVIEWS RECENT EVENTS

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be entered into which will render such things impossible for the future; and these covenants must be backed by the united force of all the nations that love justice and are willing to maintain it at any cost. If territorial settlements and the political relations of great populations which have not the organized power to resist are to be determined by the contracts of the powerful governments which consider themselves most directly affected, as Count Von Hertling proposes, why may not economic questions also? It has come about in the altered world in which we now find ourselves that justice and the rights of peoples affect the whole field of international dealing as much as access to raw materials and fair and equal conditions of trade. Count Von Hertling wants the essential basis of commercial and industrial life to be safeguarded by common agreement and guarantee, but he cannot expect that to be conceded him if the other matters to be determined by the articles of peace are not handled in the same way as items in the final accounting. He cannot ask the benefit of common agreement in the one field without according it in the other. I take it for granted that he sees that separate and selfish compacts with regard to trade and the essential materials of manufacture would afford no foundation for peace. Neither, he may rest assured, will separate and selfish compacts with regard to provinces and peoples.

"Count Czernin seems to see the fundamental elements of peace with clear eyes and does not seek to obscure them. He sees that an independent Poland, made up of all the indisputably Polish peoples who lie contiguous to one another, is a matter of European concern and must of course be conceded; that Belgium must be evacuated and restored, no matter what sacrifices and concessions that may involve; and that national aspirations must be satisfied; within his own empire, in the common interest of Europe and mankind. If he is silent about questions which touch the interest and purpose of his allies more nearly than they touch those of Austria only, it must of course be because he feels constrained, I suppose, to defer to Germany and Turkey in the circumstances. Seeing and conceding, as he does, the essential principles involved and the necessity of candidly applying them he naturally feels that Austria can respond to the purpose of peace as expressed by the United States with less embarrassment than could Germany. He would probably have gone much further had it not been for the embarrassment of Austria's alliance and of her dependence upon Germany.

"After all, the test of whether it is possible for either government to go any further in this comparison of views is simple and obvious. The principles to be applied are these:

"First, that each part in the final settlement must be based upon the essential justice of that particular case and upon such adjustments as are most likely to bring a peace that will be permanent.

"Second, that peoples and provinces are not to be bartered about from sovereignty to sovereignty as if they were mere chattels and pawns in a game, even the great game, now forever discredited, of the balance of power; but that

"Third, every territorial settlement involved in this war must be made in the interest and for the benefit of the populations concerned, and not as a part of any mere adjustment or compromise of claims amongst rival states; and

"Fourth, that all well defined national aspirations shall be accorded the utmost satisfaction that can be accorded them without introducing new or perpetuating old elements of discord and antagonism that would be likely in time to break the peace of Europe and consequently of the world.

"A general peace erected upon such foundations can be discussed. Until such a peace can be secured we have no choice but to go on. So far as we can judge, these principles that we regard as fundamental are already everywhere accepted as imperative except among the spokesmen of the military and annexationist party in Germany. If they have anywhere else been rejected, the objectors have not been sufficiently numerous or influential to make their voices audible. The tragical circumstance is that this one party in Germany is apparently willing and able to send millions of men to their death to prevent what all the world now sees to be just.

"I would not be a true spokesman of the people of the United States if I did not say once more that we entered this war upon no small occasion, and that we can never turn back from a course chosen upon principle. Our resources are in part supplied now, and we hold [illegible] pause until they are mobilized in their entirety. Our armies are rapidly going to the fighting front and will go more and more rapidly. Our whole strength will be put into this war of emancipation emancipation from the threat and attempt of masters of selfish groups of autocratic rulers whatever the difficulties and present partial delays. We are indomitable in our power of independent action and can in no circumstances consent to live in a world governed by intrigue and force. We believe that our own desires for a new international order under which reason and justice and the common interests of mankind shall prevail is the desire of enlightened men everywhere. Without such a new order the world will be filled with constant menace and human life will lack tolerable conditions of existence and development. Having set our hand to the task of achieving it, we shall not turn back.

"I hope that it is not necessary for me to add that no word of what I have said is intended as a threat. That is not the temper of our people. I have spoken thus only that the whole world may know the true mind of America—that men everywhere may know that our passion for justice and for self government is [illegible] passion which, once set in action, must be satisfied. The power of the United States is a menace to no nation or people. It will never be used in aggression or for the aggrandizement of any selfish interest of our own. It springs out of freedom and is for the service of freedom."

ODDS AND ENDS.

The Missionary Society of the Ponckhockie Union Church will meet at the home of Mrs. C. M. DuBois, 7 Lindsley avenue Tuesday evening.

The Eagle Basketball Club will hold a dance in St. Mary's Hall tonight. Palen' orchestra will furnish music. All who attend are assured a good time.

The King's Daughters of the Clinton Avenue M. E. church will hold a dime social at the home of Mrs. Bogart, 178 Prospect street, Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. All are welcome.

The Kingston High School basketball team will play the Y. M. C. A. basketball team in the high school gymnasium Tuesday evening. The game will commence at 8 o'clock and the usual admission will be charged.

The Missionary Society of Trinity M. E. Church will meet with Mrs. J. S. Robinson, Abeel street, Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. All dues are to be brought in at this time. Mrs. J. J. Dean has charge of the program.

Trinity M. E. Epworth League will hold its regular monthly business meeting this evening at the home of Miss Catherine Dunbar, 82 Brewster street. After the meeting a special program has been arranged for a very enjoyable social hour. All members are urged to attend.

THE JOINERS.

News of Interest to Members of Fraternal Societies.

The following lodges hold regular meetings this evening:

Rondout Lodge, No. 353, F. and A. M., in Masonic Hall, corner Strand and Broadway.

Colonial Rebekah Lodge, No. 48, I. O. O. F. in Odd Fellows' Hall, 36 East Strand.

J. R. B. Smith Lodge, No. 4,473, G. U. O. O. F., at 103 Cornell street.

Maben Camp, No. 11,156, Modern Woodmen of America, at 635 Broadway.

Division No. 4, Ancient Order of Hibernians, at 635 Broadway.

Marine Engineers' Beneficial Association, No. 57, at 15 Hasbrouck avenue.

Abraham Lincoln Circle, No. 192, Protected Home Circle, at I. O. U. A. M., Hall, Henry street.

Camp No. 30, P. O. A., in Mechanics' Hall, No. 14 Henry street.

Franklin Lodge, No. 37, Knights of Pythias, in Pythian Hall, corner of Wall and John streets.

A dime social will be held at the home of Mrs. Charles Fox, 86 Spring street, February 14, for the benefit of the Sons and Daughters of Liberty Lodge. Everybody welcome.

G. A. R. Attention.—Pratt Post will assemble at Masonic Hall, 280 Wall street, at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening, February 13, 1918, to attend "The Conquest of the Holy Land," presented by Rev. Dr. Cady. JAMES H. EVERETT, Commander.

At the regular meeting of C. S. Clay Lodge, No. 52, I. O. O. F., on Tuesday evening, the initiatory degree will be conferred on candidates. A large attendance is desired. The traveler who is stopping in Kingston on his way to Jerico will attend the meeting and assist with the initiation.

At the regular conclave of Rondout Commandery, No. 52, K. T., to be held on Wednesday evening, Feb. 13th, Sir Frederic W. Sim, Very Eminent Deputy Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of the State of New York, will make his official visit to this commandery. It is the duty of every Sir Knight of the Commandery to be present on this important occasion; to be in at the opening ceremonies at 8 o'clock sharp and assist the officers extending to the distinguished visitor a true knightly welcome. In addition to the reception of the grand visitor, the Valiant and Magnanimous Order of the Temple will be conferred. Light refreshments will be served.

BEARSVILLE.

Bearsville, Feb. 11.—Mr. and Mrs. Watson Riseley and daughter Lou Lora of Wittenberg visited Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shultis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Stone of Bridgeport, Conn., Miss E. Ricter of Kingston, Walemah Riseley and Floyd E. Stone of Wittenberg, spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Foster Shultis.

Mrs. Minerva Burroughs of East View is spending some time with her mother, Mrs. Amina Shultis of this place.

Mrs. Foster Shultis, Mrs. Paul Shultis and son visited Mrs. Amina Shultis Thursday last.

Miss Ena Elliot of Pacama is visiting Mrs. Arthur Shultis.

M. Klinck of Brooklyn is spending a few days at the home of Conrad Lasher.

New Flash-Lamp.

A practicable flash-lamp without a battery has been invented by utilizing a tiny magneto-generator driven by a spring and clockwork.

DIED.

BECHTOLD—In this city, Friday, Friday, February 8, 1918, Joseph Bechtold, beloved husband of Bertha Bechtold.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral from his home, No. 1 Park avenue, Tuesday morning at 8:45 and 9:30 from St. Peter's Church, where a requiem mass will be offered for the repose of his soul. Interment in St. Peter's Cemetery.

HARDENBURGH—At New York city, February 9, 1918, M. Julius Hardenburgh.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

SOCIETY NOTES.

A pleasant surprise party was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Edward Moran at their home, No. 4 Brewster street, on Sunday evening in honor of the first anniversary of their marriage. About ten couples were present and an excellent supper was served. The party left at a late hour, wishing Mr. and Mrs. Moran many more years of a happy and prosperous married life.

An agreeable birthday surprise was tendered John Robins at his home on Smith avenue one evening recently by a large number of his friends. Only just previous to the occasion Mr. Robins was telling how he could not be surprised; he has changed his mind. A delightful time was had by all and during the evening a sumptuous repast was served. Among the guests were Miss Keegan of Albany, and Miss Antoinette Bechlin of Newark, N. J. At a late hour the guests departed after wishing the host many more happy birthdays. Mr. Robins is the popular ball player and clerk at the central postoffice.

Wisnewski-Weishaupt

Adolph Wisnewski of No. 142 Third avenue, and Miss Marie Weishaupt of No. 384 First avenue, were united in marriage Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock in St. Peter's Church by the pastor, Rev. John P. Neumann. They were attended by Stephen Wisnewski and Miss Catherine Van Gonsie. Both bride and groom have a host of friends who wish them a long and prosperous married life.

KYSERIKE.

Kyserike, Feb. 11.—A very delightful surprise party was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hines Saturday evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Warren, Mr. and Mrs. V. B. Cross, Sanford Cross, Fred Roosa, Emmett J. Van Demark, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis, Charles Davis, Jr., Wells Pine, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Van Wagenen, Mr. and Mrs. William Pratt, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pratt, Jr., Miss Vivian Pratt, Elmer Pratt, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Lockwood, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sutherland, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pratt, Sr., Martin Plum, Edw'd Winkleman, Fred Winkleman, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Stokes and son, Harold. Music and games were enjoyed by all present until 11:30 when sandwiches, coffee and cake were served, after which all left for home, voting Mr. and Mr. Hines royal entertainers.

Mr. and Mrs. Ransom Smith of Pine Bush moved in part of the Winkleman farm house on Friday. Mr. Smith will be employed by Victor Van Wagenen this season.

Snow shoveling seems to be the order of the day in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Rider and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Van Wagnen and family.

Mr. and Mrs. William Pratt spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Van Demark.

Miss Ruth Wood and Miss Genevieve Cross visited Kingston Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Lockwood are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. William Pratt.

Harry DeWitt enjoyed a drive behind his trotter on Sunday.

Mrs. Fannie Gibson of Cottekill spent Saturday evening and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John V. Quick at Cold Spring Farm.

ASHOKAN.

Ashokan, Feb. 11.—A Grafanola concert will be held in the M. E. Church on Wednesday, February 13. Admission 15 cents for adults, 10 cents for children. If stormy the next fair evening. Come and help out a good cause as the dimes will make dollars, which are very much needed at this time.

Mrs. Lincoln Smith called on Mrs. G. O. Wilsey, also Mrs. C. Davis on Friday last.

The funeral of Henry Berryann was held from the M. E. Church on Monday at 11:30 o'clock. Interment in Moe cemetery.

Miss Minnie Every spent Sunday at Phoenicia visiting her sister and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Green of Woodstock spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Terwilliger.

The Rev. G. O. Wilsey called on friends in West Hurley and vicinity on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Elmendorf spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Neil Windrum.

Miss Laura Moe is stopping in Kingston, where she has employment.

Floyd Merrihew has left our town again for one higher up in the Catskills. Hope he wont get snowed in so he cannot return.

Mrs. B. Cockendall is visiting her mother at Walden, N. Y.

ST. REMY.

St. Remy, Feb. 11.—There will be an entertainment and supper for the benefit of the church on Thursday evening, Feb. 21.

There will be Sunday school hereafter at 1:30 p. m., and Christian Endeavor at 7:30. These services have not been held through the severe weather and it is hoped they will be well attended and new interest taken in the work.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Vining of New Salem were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Planck on Sunday.

The Ladies' Aid Society will have a carpet rag bee at the home of Kathryn Sutton on Thursday, February 14. They are making more rugs to sell for the benefit of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Ellsworth called on Rev. F. A. Force and family on Sunday at Ruton.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Van Beek were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Freer on Sunday. S.

Powerful Pump.

Your heart is a very busy organ. While you breathe once it beats four times. At each beat it sends four pounds of blood through your veins and arteries. The weight of the circulating blood is 20 pounds. When you run your legs and other parts of your body need more blood, so your heart must pump faster.—Popular Science Monthly.

SAUGERTIES.

Saugerties, Feb. 11.—Saugerties members of the Ulster County Society attended the annual dinner of the society at the Hotel Biltmore, New York city on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lowther and daughter Helen of Beckley street spent Sunday with relatives in Madalin, N. Y.

Miss Lucy Connolly, employed in Albany, spent Sunday with her father on Market street.

Miss Jennie Archer of Mount Vernon is spending a few days with Miss Rhena Disbrow on Market street.

Rev. C. B. Gruber, D. D., of Albany preached at both services in the Lutheran Church on Sunday.

Misses Edna Badger and Gladys Post of Brooklyn are guests of Miss Jennie Hanna and Miss Fannie Post on Ulster avenue.

LOCAL DEATH RECORD.

Recent Deaths and Funerals of Persons in This Vicinity.

Edward P. Lawler, who has been ill for several months, died at his home on East Bridge street, Saugerties, on Friday evening, aged 49 years. Mr. Lawler is survived by his wife and two sisters, Mrs. Wilbur Swart, of Saugerties, and Mrs. John McCormick of Johnsonburgh, Pa. Mr. Lawler was a well known citizen and his death is regretted by a large number of friends. The funeral was held this morning in St. Mary's Church at 10 o'clock and largely attended. Interment was in St. Mary's cemetery.

MOMBACCUS HEIGHTS.

Mombaccus Heights, Feb. 11.—Mrs. Amy Van Demark has gone to spend the remainder of the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Charles White, of Wallkill.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith entertained a party of relatives on Friday evening last in honor of their fifth wedding anniversary. A bounteous supper was enjoyed by all and a fine social time in spite of the extreme cold.

Great excitement was caused for a time by the burning out of a chimney on the residence of F. P. Smith one evening last week.

Melborne Green and George Hartelins are running the steam saw mill for the present.

William Beesmer made a trip to Rhinebeck on Saturday last.

Ralph McDonald and friend, Aaron Rose of Wawarsing, attended the party at A. M. Green's and spent the remainder of Saturday night as guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse McDonald.

The remains of Mrs. Eliza Wright, who died very suddenly while visiting a friend, were brought to this place for burial in the family plot in the Rural Cemetery. Deceased was formerly Miss Eliza Simpson and had a number of relatives in this vicinity.

Henry Smith was called to Napanoch to be examined again last Friday.

Alfred Wells, who was quite ill for a few days last week, has recovered.

Miss Alice Green spent a few days recently with her aunt, Mrs. F. P. Smith and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Whittaker and daughter of Kerhonkson attended the party and remained until Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Green.

Miss Olive Smith, a student of the Ellenville high school, has been confined to her home here during the past week by illness.

One of the most enjoyable social affairs of the season was the surprise party given Saturday evening last at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew M. Green, whose reputation for hospitality and everything that goes to make the ideal host and hostess is known far and wide. Music, both instrumental and vocal, numerous games, old and new, and a bountiful supper were among the happy features of the evening, which passed all too quickly for those present. The party was given in honor of Miss Katherine Brandt, our teacher, at present a member of the Green family, who was supposed to be very greatly surprised.

Frank Lounsbery had a very sick cow last week but fortunately the trouble yielded to prompt treatment and the animal recovered.

The young people have been planning to give a play some time this month and have been waiting for a change in weather conditions that they might get together for practice. They are still waiting, however.

SEAGER.

Seager, Feb. 11.—Mrs. W. D. Todd was a business caller at Roxbury one day last week.

Miss Nina Kittle spent the week end at her home in Arena.

Mrs. Mogash of New York city came here last Friday to spend several days with her husband at Furlough Lodge.

Mrs. Arthur Brown and little baby have been quite ill, but are improved at this time.

Riley Kittle of Arena is a pleasant visitor at Niles Fairbairn's.

Dr. W. J. Smith of Kingston was in this place on Friday in the interests of tuberculos cattle.

The newly organized L. T. L., held a meeting Friday afternoon at the school house.

Chicago Grain Market.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Chicago, Feb. 11.—Corn closed ⅛ higher and oats were ⅜ to ⅝c higher today.

Closing Prices.

Corn.—March, 127⅜ to ½; May, 125⅛.

Oats.—March, 82⅞; May, 79⅞.

Cash Grain.

Corn.—No. 2 mixed, 154 @ 157; No. 4 white, 157 @ 172; No. 4 yellow, 155 @ 180; No. 4 mixed, 150 @ 160; No. 5 white, 150 @ 160; No. 5 yellow, 155 @ 151; No. 5 mixed, 150 @ 149; No. 6 white, 125 @ 150; No. 6 yellow, 125 @ 145.

Oats.—No. 2 mixed, 82½; No. 2 white, 83¾ @ 83¾; No. 3 mixed, 83; No. 3 white, 83½ @ 85; No. 4 white, 82 @ 83¼; standard, 84 @ 86.

SILAGE IS GOOD WINTER ROUGHAGE

Particularly Valuable During Season When Animals Are Idle.

MOLDY SILAGE IS DANGEROUS

Feed for Horses and Mules Should Be Made From Thoroughly Mature Corn—Frozen Silage Also Should Be Avoided.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Good silage properly fed is a splendid feed for horses, particularly during winter when the horses are idle. Silage for horses and mules should be made from thoroughly mature corn, properly stored so that it will not mold. In many cases horses have been killed by eating moldy silage, and the careless person who fed it at once blamed the silage itself, rather than his own carelessness and the mold which really was the cause of the trouble. Horses are peculiarly susceptible to the effects of molds, and under certain conditions certain molds grow on silage which are deadly poisons to both horses and mules. Molds must have air to grow and therefore silage which is packed airtight and fed out rapidly will not become moldy. If the feeder watches the silage carefully as the weather warms up he can soon detect the presence of mold. When mold appears, feeding to horses or mules should stop immediately.

Danger of Colic.

It is also unsafe to feed horses frozen silage on account of the danger of colic. This is practically impossible to avoid in very cold weather, especially in solid-wall silos. By taking the day's feed from the unfrozen center of the silo and chopping away the frozen silage from the edges and piling the frozen pieces in the center the mass will usually thaw out in time for the next feed.

The value of silage for horses is greatest as a means to carry them through the winter season cheaply or to supplement pasture during drought. As the danger of mold is greater in summer than in winter, silage should not be fed to horses in that season unless a large number of animals are getting it, and the daily consumption is so large as to preclude the formation of mold on the surface.

To cheapen the ration of brood mares in winter no feed has more value than good corn silage. If the grain goes into the silo with the stover no additional grain is needed for brood mares, hay being the only supplementary feed necessary. If there is little grain on the corn the silage should be supplemented with one pound of old-process linseed-oil meal or cottonseed meal daily per 1,000 pounds live weight, sprinkled over the silage.

Starting on Silage.

Horses to be wintered on a silage and hay ration should be started on about five pounds of silage daily per 1,000 pounds live weight, the grain and hay ration being gradually decreased as the silage is increased until the ration is 20 pounds silage and 10 pounds of hay daily per 1,000 pounds live weight. It will require about a month to reach the full feed of silage, but the period may be decreased somewhat, depending on the judgment and skill of the feeder.

Mares fed in this manner will be in splendid condition for foaling, and, so far as the writer's experience goes, the foals will be fully as vigorous, with just as much size and bone, as if the mares were fed the conventional grain and hay ration.

Work horses when idle can be wintered satisfactorily in this manner, but much silage is not recommended for horses at heavy work for the same reason that a driving horse cannot do his best while on watery grass pasture.

SHARP GRIT OF IMPORTANCE

Necessary for Proper Digestion of Fowls' Food—Place in Box Handy of Access.

Fowls cannot digest their food well unless they have clean, sharp grit and it is usually best to keep a box of the regular commercial grit, sold by poultry supply dealers, in each pen of the hen house during cold weather when the hens cannot get outside and search for pieces of coarse gravel, etc.

SEPARATE HOUSE FOR GEESE

Farmer Should Be Careful to See That Floor Is Dry and Well-Bedded With Straw.

Be sure that the shed for the geese (which should be separate from the poultry house, duck house and turkey shed) has a dry, well-bedded floor, for geese will not do well unless they have a dry resting place.

HIGH PRICES TEMPT FARMER

Not Only Induced Many to Sell Pigs at Light Weight, but Breeding Animals Marketed.

The extremely high prices of grain feeds and market hogs have not only induced farmers to market their pigs at light weights, but have tempted many of them to cash in on a large number of their breeding animals.

Untouched Wealth in Pyrenees.

The Pyrenees mountains are rich in waterfalls and minerals, but their exploitation is rendered difficult by lack of roads. With the water power there latent the mining possibilities could readily be developed.

HIS DRIVER

By MILDRED WHITE.

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Glen Truesdale, alighting at the village station, looked quickly about for the usual hotel conveyance. It was a mile and a half to the center of the town, and his time there was limited. No customary bus presented itself to his vision; impatiently he strode up the roadway, and there, just at the bend, waited a large automobile. In the driver's seat sat the most beautiful girl he had ever seen.

Truesdale was debating with himself whether he might dare to ask of her the information the brusque station agent denied, when the girl leaned forward.

"Auto for Lyndenville?" she asked.

"You mean—" he blurted out, "that you would drive me there?"

The girl pushed open the car door. "That is my business," she answered.

With alacrity he placed his valise in the machine and seated himself by the driver. Her gauntleted hands were upon the wheel.

"Where?" she asked briefly.

Truesdale answered with the name of his destination. There was no invitation for further remark in her businesslike manner.

Once she turned to smile at him. "Great morning, isn't it?" she said. To Glen Truesdale it was a "great morning."

"There's the 'great' business block ahead," laughed the girl, "and your office the center one. Twenty-five cents, please."

"So soon," said Truesdale. His tone bespoke disappointment.

The driver flung open the door, and even as he descended she prepared to whirl her car about in departure. Then inspiration came to him. There was so little of interesting variety in his treadmill life, this glorious morning spin had seemed like an hour from his boyhood. The car and the services of this lovely, baffling maid were miraculously for hire.

"This afternoon," said Truesdale, "I would like to be carried over to the next town; could you do it?"

The girl considered. "Yes," she said; "and there will be other passengers. Call for you at two."

The other passengers were tucked into the back seat when she arrived. Silently he resented the presence of the two old ladies, but on their swinging way again, he was glad. The driver seemed to feel free now, to include him in the merry, descriptive remarks she made to the others. Back, with the station lights gleaming through evening dusk, Glen Truesdale lingered beside the big car.

"It will be necessary for me to pay a weekly visit here for some time," he told the girl; "may I ask you to drive me each Wednesday?"

For a moment she regarded him beneath her soft cap brim.

"Certainly," she agreed impersonally.

It was altogether strange and inexplicable how that winsome, girlish face haunted him through the days which followed. Mockingly it smiled from perplexing papers; resentfully it seemed to withdraw at his own returning smile. Unaccountable anger filled him—that "she" should be carrying people about, here and there, at so much a mile, and why? And what was it all to him, he who did not even know her name?

"My name is Glen Truesdale," he abruptly informed her upon one of their later rides. "I would like to know yours."

"Margaret Carstairs," she replied in mimicry.

This last ride down through the early starlight, was one of enchantment. Truesdale dared hardly glance at the glowing face near his own, lest he must tell the girl how lovely she was, and forever break the charm. Instinctively, he knew that one step out of his stipulated role of "customer only," would be the end. But how to see her under other and more promising conditions—that was the problem. Then, because he must know more of her, he sought the station agent.

"Whom did you say she was?" he asked casually, "the young woman who drives the auto-bus?"

"Don't know much about 'em," the agent replied. "Came here a couple of months ago and rented the old Gage place, Carstairs, the name. Her husband started to run the auto trips, when he was called to war. Then, she took it up. Pretty plucky."

Truesdale's head was swimming. He stepped out into the night. Her husband—and he had gone—to war. Yes, it was pretty plucky. And Glen Truesdale came back to the country town no more.

The girl's eyes grew wistful as Wednesday after Wednesday passed. But the haunting eyes looking back from Glen's paper were mocking ones. When business forced him again to the country his face whitened with fear that she would be there, but when he saw her his heart quickened in joyous response. Speechlessly he stood gazing into her reproachful face.

"You have been away—so long," she said. Disappointment was in her tone.

Business method seemed to have vanished. "When I heard of your husband being away at war—" Truesdale began.

"My husband!" cried Margaret Carstairs. Then she laughed. "They do get things mixed up here," she said. "It is my brother who went to war. Mother did not want me to take his place, but—"

Glen Truesdale jumped into the seat at her side. "But I'm mighty glad you did," he said fervently.

Portrait of Dante.

A cable from Rome says that "during alterations in the old church of St. Agostin in Rimini, Italy, very important frescoes of the fourteenth century, one of which contains a beautiful portrait of Dante, were discovered.

DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE



BY MARY GRAHAM BONNER

THE PAPOOSE.

"In a quaint old city," said Daddy, "Indians come into town every Saturday morning with bright-colored baskets and beaded moccasins. They make these things and they make beaded bags and purses and little ornaments.

"They drive oxen instead of horses and the oxen move so slowly as if they did not care in the least if they ever got anywhere at all!

"The Indian women, or squaws as they are called, carry large baskets upon their heads in which are the things they have to sell, smaller baskets, purses and moccasins.

"Sometimes, too, they bring into the town flowers in the summer and in the autumn red berries—for they have a little village of their own out in the country. They are not wild at all and they would not dream of hurting anyone.

"One day a little girl named Olive was sitting in her room reading when she heard the door bell ring. She went downstairs and there was a little Indian girl, not any older than herself.

"'Will the beautiful lady buy pretty basket?' asked the little Indian girl.

"Olive was so pleased! She was not nearly big enough to be called 'lady,' for she was still very young, and she knew quite well that sh was not beautiful at all. She had freckles and a very big mouth, and she had only a little hair which was quite straight. And she was tall for her age and much too thin. But she had never been called beautiful before and though she knew the little Indian girl was quite wrong, still she was delighted.

"'You are beautiful yourself,' said Olive. For the Indian girl had long black hair and enormous dark eyes, wonderful dark skin with quite a good deal of color.

"'Me beautiful?' she asked. 'Oh no, me not beautiful at all.'

"They each thought the other beautiful because each was so different.

"Olive bought some baskets for her mother and a little beaded purse for herself and then she said to the little Indian girl:

"'Won't you have some cocoa with me?' The little Indian girl nodded her head and said: 'Me like goodies.'

"So Olive and the little Indian girl went into Olive's room and had a fine



"Will the Beautiful Lady Buy Pretty Basket?"

feast, using blue cups and saucers and eating bread and butter from little blue plates.

"'Me tell you a story?' asked the little Indian girl. Olive was delighted.

"'Please,' she said. And the little Indian girl began:

"'My brudder, he very big man. He tall and strong and plenty muscle he has.' She bent her arms to show what she meant by muscle and she stood up with her arms above her to show how tall he was. 'He build a boat,' she went on, 'a red boat—a canoe—and he take it along water so it never make a sound. He know how to paddle so! Never a sound!

"'We have a river by our hut and he keep the boat by the bank, tied to an old tree. He takes us all out in it, but what do you suppose he call that boat?'

"Olive couldn't guess. She tried many names she thought the boat might be called but they were all wrong. 'Tell me,' she begged.

"'My brudder, he not call his boat after great strong man, or after warrior or hero, no he call boat after our little baby brudder—what mudder call the little wee one. He call his boat the Papoose which mean an Indian baby—and he mean our baby. His boat which can go out into the big waves and not upset—which is so strong, like my brudder—it is named the Papoose after the baby!' Her eyes were dancing with joy but it was time for her to be off.

"She put her basket on top of her head and started off. 'Will your fadder bring you to see the big Papoose and the little Papoose?' she asked as she left, and to Olive's great delight her mother called out:

"'We will take you some time.' And both little girls left each other smiling and happy."

Better Than No Work.

It is better to be overworked than to have no work. When you feel inclined to complain because your task is so heavy, just remember how immeasurably better off you are than those who have no occupation in life but to kill time.—Girl's Companion.

Accomplishment to Laugh.

It is a great accomplishment to learn to laugh at the joke that is on yourself—the blunder that seems funny to other people and would be amusing to you if another had made it.

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SECOND ULSTER BANQUET A SUCCESS

Ulster County Society Banquet in New York Saturday Night Was Largely Attended—Interesting Addresses by Able Speakers.

The second annual banquet of the Ulster County Society in the City of New York was held at the Hotel Biltmore, New York, on Saturday evening and was largely attended, the increased attendance indicating the livelier interest which is being taken in the organization by the sons of Ulster who are engaged in business or professional pursuits in New York and of Ulster county residents whose interest in their New York brothers has not grown less because of separation.

Preceding the banquet a reception was held in the rose parlors and lobby of the hotel and for an hour former residents of Ulster and the many present Ulster county men who prize membership in the society had opportunity to exchange greetings and renew old acquaintance.

The dinner was faultlessly served, the menu being as follows:

Kyserike Cocktails
Half Grapefruit Veloute Conty
Celery Salted Almonds Olives
Cigarettes
Sea Food Patty Miltmore
Kernel of Spring Lamb Clamart
Potatoes Duchess
Stuffed Tomatoes au Gratin
Roast Vermont Turkey With Chestnuts
Combination Salad
Biscuit Tortoni Cakes
Demi Tasse

Ulster's Part In History.

J. Ward Follette, president of the Ulster County Society, introduced Judge Parker, who presided as toastmaster, in a formal address in which he pointed out Ulster county's part in history.

Mr. Follette said in part:

To the members, guests and visitors, on behalf of this society I extend to you a cordial greeting and hearty welcome, to the members who cannot be with us I extend the society's regrets.

For a second time we congregate to commemorate the fact that at some time in our lives we have been residents of a section of this great country which upon a map drawn in due proportion would appear almost infinitesimal, but which to us looms up large and grand. The Ulster County Society has grown until its membership has reached a number which must be recognized as a potent factor in the municipal affairs of our immediate commonwealth, as well as in the affairs of the county in honor of which we are tonight assembled.

Ulster county is famed in history and one cannot open the pages of review of this Empire State without reading almost at the beginning the part that Ulster county played in establishing our state government and through the medium of the state, the government of this beloved country of ours, the land of the free and the home of the brave. The monuments still stand in various parts of the county as evidence of the struggles of the early settlers in their accomplishment of a determined purpose to establish for their posterity enjoyment of the rights to which they are justly entitled, and which each and every one of us do now enjoy.

Kingston being of course the county seat and the only city within the county lines, has undoubtedly fostered a majority of those who belong to this society, so naturally the mention of our former county brings to their mind our county seat, while to others it is suggested because they transact their chief business within our one city. Those who are engaged in business in Kingston, upon meeting a stranger and drawing him into conversation and watching his actions and general conduct, can oftimes tell whether he comes from some other part of the county and if so from what particular part. If the stranger hails from some valley section which is closely surrounded by mountain peaks, he is so hemmed in that his line of vision is shortened and he is given to the habit of star gazing as the only possible way for him to see out from his closely bound confines is—to look straight up; should the stranger permit the Kingstonian to conduct the conversation almost exclusively with a recital of some particular anecdote and then retaliate with a story which goes one better, you may be assured that he comes from Saugerties, for the inhabitants of that village through a sporty instinctiveness have learned to let the other fellow tell his story first; should the stranger manifest a high degree of optimism, one may justly conclude that he comes from the west side of the Shawangunks, for those so located have not yet outgrown the great possibilities which they predicted when they should have a railroad and on the contrary a pessimistic stranger is easily spotted as coming from Southern Ulster, for there the chief expression is "It all depends."

Since last we met, which is but a year ago, our country has entered the world war; then we were on the very verge of war, and expressions pro and con were heard from all sides. It was inevitable that peace could not continue as had been demonstrated through the continual goading of the enemy. Many of Ulster's brave boys have gone forth without a murmur to lend their aid in overcoming and forever stamping out the demon autocracy from all civilized lands, and in more firmly implanting the principles of our forefathers that we man continue to enjoy a government of the people, for the people and by the people. My one wish tonight is that those boys could be with us.

It was my good fortune not long since to attend a dinner comparable to this, where over the head table was hung in glittering lights the familiar motto: "My country, right or wrong, my country." It was after the declaration of war and it appealed to me that that motto should be revised. Up on Washington Heights is a small apartment, my home and in Kingston is another, that of my parents. I love these homes better than any other homes I know because they are my homes! I love Ulster county better than any other county in the state because it is my county, and I love this great Empire State of ours better than any other state in this union because it is my state, and I love this great and glorious country of ours better than any other country in this world because it is my country, believing in and loving my country as I do, I am convinced that motto should be revised to read, not "My country right or wrong, my country," but "My country now right not wrong, my country."

Toasts to President and Roosevelt.

When Judge Parker was presented by President Follette as toastmaster, he at once proposed a toast "to the president of the United States may God grant him strength to bear the burden placed upon him."

The toast was drunk standing.

Judge Parker at once proposed a toast also "To a distinguished American, a former president of the United States, Theodore Roosevelt, may his recovery be rapid and complete."

This toast, likewise, was drunk standing.

Judge Parker gave a brief talk on patriotism, and was vociferously applauded by the diners before he began to speak and when he had concluded.

Judge Clearwater's Speech.

Judge Clearwater said that in looking over the gathering his first and lasting impression was that the men of Ulster, despite the war and meatless, wheatless, porkless, and heatless days, presented as prosperous and well fed an appearance as any similar number of men it had been his fortune to meet in many a day, and this he knew was not due to a failure to observe the somewhat stringent admonition of Federal and State food and fuel conservers, because of all the counties of New York in none had the people been more punctilious and faith ful deferring to the suggestion of conservation. He was surprised too at the absence of any appearance of age. All of them looked young to him notwithstanding he gazed at them from the pinnacle of advanced years. The judge said that Ulster was not and never had been large in population; was not now and never had been the abode of men of wealth, but that it was, as recently was said to him by one of the most distinguished of Americans, a county which for centuries had been renowned because of the spirit of its men and women. It was a fine example of the great truth that it is not material and temporal things that make for greatness, but spiritual and intellectual aspirations, and in such aspirations the people of Ulster always had been among the first in the land. It was their attitude which largely had swung the colony into the patriot cause during the war of the American revolution which had resented British arrogance, in the war of 1812, which unstintedly had sent its sons to the war to preserve the Union, and to the Spanish-American war which made America a world power, and now was sending the flower of its young manhood to battle, not only for the freedom of the world, but for the stamping out of brutality, hideous bestiality and gross greed, grasping selfishness. It was one of the few counties in the United States which was important two centuries ago, and which was important today. There had been talk of the decadence of its industries. Industries came and went with the ebb and flow of the tide of commerce; while important, they were incidental in the loftier development of a community, that development which bore the impress of character because always in the final analysis it was character that lasted. There was about the people of Ulster an absence of affectation, an simplicity of purpose and of manner that carried with it the conviction of sincerity. There was a singular absence of the light and frivolous, a deep earnestness seemed to be the most striking characteristic. Ulster had been peculiarly fortunate in the blending of nationalities. First came the Hollander, then the Huguenot, then the Irish, strong nationalities all, the Irish had added to the staid sobriety of the Hollander, the piety and thrift of the Huguenot, that dauntless spirit which made a cultivated Irishman one of the most lovable of men.

The Judge said that in proportion to its population Ulster had produced as many men of distinction as almost any county of the country. George Clinton, the first governor of New York, and the fifth and sixth vice-president of the United States, who became vice-president with Jefferson, and remained vice-president under Madison; who fought to establish the Union, and whose last resting place and monument was in the old historic First Dutch church yard at Kingston, within a few feet of the monument erected to the immortal renown of the soldiers who from 1861 to 1865 had fought to preserve the Union. Ulster had presented two candidates for the presidency of the United States—Alton B. Parker and Charles Evans Hughes and she had been the birthplace of judges, of senators of distinguished members of congress, of the legislature, of men of light and leading in literature, science and the arts, as St. Paul had said of a city of his time, Ulster was no mean county of which to be a citizen. He alluded to the fact that he had been designated by the secretary of war and the Home Defense committee to open the questionnaire's court in Ulster, and spoke in the highest terms of the young men who appeared for examination, saying there was a comparatively small percentage of them who claimed exemption and that almost without exception they were willing to take supplemental education in night school, and so, said the Judge, as we stand here to night at a crucial time in this cataclysmic world war let us not think altogether of that material prosperity to which our minds are so apt to turn, but of those loftier characteristics for which the men of Ulster have been so noted, and which so strongly stamps them today, and again to paraphrase St. Paul, said the Judge, let us think not of the matter but of the spirit, for the matter killeth, but the spirit giveth life. These patriotic sons of Ulster, who are going to fight not only the battle of Democracy, but to fight for Ulster itself, will not be remembered with funeral lyrics, with muffled drums, or with banners bound with crepe. To them the people of this generation will owe their heritage of freedom and we shall remember them not with sorrow and mourning, but with heartfelt gratitude and a sense of solemn triumph.

Miller Talks Reminiscently.

Hugh Gordon Miller, who formerly was engaged in the diplomatic service of the United States in South American, told an interesting number of stories of his visits to Kingston during campaigns, when he frequently visited Ulster county as a spellbinder. He followed with a talk on the causes of the present world war and in conclusion proposed a toast to the American flag which was draped above the dias.

Wakelee's Interesting Talk.

Hon. Edmund W. Wakelee, vice chairman of the Public Service Commission of New Jersey, spoke extensively of his boyhood in Kingston and the offices in which he had studied law before going to New Jersey. He paid a high tribute to some of the older lawyers present whom he had known intimately before leaving Kingston, and spoke in high praise of the organization of the Ulster County Society and its purposes. He expressed the hope that the society would continue to grow numerically, in prestige and in influence, and hoped that some day he would have the pleasure of returning to Kingston and in this city enjoy a session of a dinner to the society to be held here.

Success Means Work.

MacDonald DeWitt was the last speaker of the evening. Mr. DeWitt was introduced by Judge Parker as "the son of an Ulster county lawyer, one of the most brilliant, one of the most learned and one of the most courageous that it has ever been my good fortune to meet, to know and respect, David M. DeWitt, a man who in addition to being one of the foremost attorneys of the state was also a writer of much renown."

Mr. DeWitt spoke brilliantly on what New York had done for the sons of Ulster who had gone there, and what it had enabled them to do for themselves. He referred to the success which had attended the efforts of many Ulster county men, particularly in the profession of the law and of medicine and surgery as well as in manufacturing, transportation and other professional and business activities. How he said the possessed capacity there was a larger opportunity in New York, and with a willingness to work and to apply themselves and their knowledge of talent, they could new our success on a larger scale there than in the home town or county.

The festivities closed with the singing of the "Star Spangled Banner."

Letters of regret from those who were unablet to be present were read by President Follette during the evening.

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Lizard Squirts Blood From Eyes.

We have about fourteen species of horned lizards in this country, and most people still call them "horned toads." Some of their habits are extremely remarkable, but none more so than their ability to send at will a fine jet of blood from either eye. This fact is very rarely touched upon in literature, and the average reader of the life histories of our animals has never heard of this remarkable habit, says a writer in Popular Science Monthly, in an article entitled, "A Lizard That Squirts Jets of Blood From Its Eyes." Blood-squirting is generally indulged in when the lizard is laboring under certain states of excitement. The attack comes on suddenly, at a time when you have the lizard in your grasp. It will suddenly stiffen its neck and throw the head upward, as the eyes bulge from their sockets. In another second you can plainly hear a peculiar hissing sound, followed immediately by the finest imaginable jet of pure blood from one or the other of its eyes. With such force is this squirted that the tiny stream, lasting a couple of seconds, may be thrown to a distance of fully five feet.

Pain, the Sentinel.

Ninety per cent of all of our diseases are ushered in with pain, and in most instances the pain is either in the head or is very quickly reflected there. In this connection, Dr. W. H. Vail writes in the Christian Herald, it is interesting to remember that the brain rarely suffers pain. In fact, this is the truth with most deep seated organs. Surgeons assure us that in operations, cutting through the brain substance causes little or no pain, and we know that hemorrhages in the brain interfere with the functions of that organ, yet cause no pain. Paradoxical as it may seem, in one sense, it is a sign of a certain degree of health to be able to experience a headache, for it indicates that the brain has not lost its power to warn its owner of impending danger.

Beautiful Volcanic Mountain.

No one can write much about Japan without making enthusiastic mention of Fujiyama, the most beautiful of the volcanic mountains of the world, says a correspondent. While "yama" means "mountain," the author found it difficult to ascertain the precise signification of "Fuji;" but his students finally agreed that it meant "rich samurai;" samurai being the military retainers of the princes who enjoyed the privilege of wearing two swords before the abolition of the feudal system in Japan. Fujiyama, then, would be "the mountain of the rich samurai." The slope of a mountain is almost always exaggerated by artists, the mountain being presented in the picture as much steeper than it actually is. This is the case with most pictures of Fujiyama.

Poor Human Nature.

"A lot o' men," said Uncle Eben, "is fairly successful, only dey's jes' natchelly so dissatisfied dey won't admit it."

SAVE-A-LITTLE SERMONS

By Wallace Irwin

Illustrations by Rea Irvin.

WILLIE EDUCATES FATHER

I.

Sam Sport, who was seldom a grafter or sponger,
Was known to his friends as "a bit of a plunger"

When any safe chance for investment came toward him
He looked very naughty and said that it bored him

"This four per cent twaddle don't get my almoleon
We big men take chances—just look at Napoleon'"

All modest investments Sam gloried to pan em,
He figured percentage at twenty per annum

The consequence was that he reveled in troubles
And squandered his surplus in beautiful bubbles

He subsidized land schemes in far Ethiopia,
Castles in Fairyland mines in Utopia

He purchased some oil stocks—stood to make millions—
And a scheme to dig gold from the ancient Brazilians

Got Sam in so deep that his poor wife was dreading
The desolate day when need mortgage the heading

"Big Fortunes," said Sam "are all built on romances
You'll never get rich if you never take chances"

Sobbed his wife as she watered skimmed milk in a pitcher
"The one chance we need is the chance to get richer"

II

One day after Sam in a letter had gotten
The news that the Fairsland Trust Co was rotten

He saw in the kitchen his little boy Willie
Playing a game which looked awfully silly



I SAVE UP MY QUARTERS.



"LOOK AT NAPOLEON!"

For Willie, intent on his serious capar,
Was pasting bright stamps on a large sheet of paper.

"What now?" asked the father, his offspring to pamper.
"You see," quoth the child, "I'm a little Thrift Stamper.

I save up my quarters—it comes very handy
To help Mr. Hoover by not buying candy—

Then straight to the druggists I gleefully tramp, sir,
And put me a baby-size War Saving Stamp, sir.

When I've gummed sixteen stamps to a sheet, then I've made it
And quick for a Savings Certificate trade it.

Then I'll stick on Big Stamps—and I'll soon have such plenty
I'll fill up the space to the number of twenty.

Then I'll take my full card to the banker and holler,
There's the Government's pledge, four per cent on the dollar.'

I'll keep savings stamps till I get more and more sir—
By the time I'm grown up I'll have maybe a score sir.'

'My boy,' exclaimed Sam, 'you have got the idea!
You're not starting in as a big financier

If I'd followed that system—just matching the nickel—
I'd not be complaining that Fortune is fickle.

See the child teach the man! For it's plain as sun's moonshine
That a dollar well saved beats a million in moonshine

And thus having spoke to the bank he did run up
And bought his first Stamp at four-seventy-one, sir.

United States Government War Savings Stamps
On Sale Everywhere

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COLONEL PIETRO GLEIFESES.

THE HERO OF THE ITALIAN ARMY.

Colonel Pietro Gleifeses, commander of the gallant 52d Italian Infantry Regiment, which held the upper Piave line for three days against the onrush of the Teuton armies. Colonel Gleifeses' troops, in holding the enemy back, saved the entire Piave line, the loss of which would probably have meant the complete route of the Italian army.

Philosophy.

Men are put into the world to live together. Most of the time living amounts to making the best of a bad business. They have to compromise at every turn. But let them compromise gracefully. It is worth while having a philosophy that one can use as one uses a comfortable everyday coat. Some people's philosophy is like a fine coat, only to be put on for dress occasions; but a man can be himself only when clad in the clothes that are his everyday wear. Good humor is a comfortable, everyday coat; we feel instantly at home with the man who wears it.—Exchange.

Good for Fair Sex.

The Saturday half holiday and the observance of Sunday as a day of open air recreation, a writer states, are working powerfully and beneficially toward health and longevity. Girls and women stand peculiarly in need of exercise, and activities which give them an entirely new set of mental and physical impulses. Gardening and botanizing, motoring parties, excursions, bird study, and all the things that amuse and interest, including all light athletic sports, especially if these can be practiced in the open air, are splendid.

Seven Eclipses.

A romance of old wars might make much of a year that recorded seven eclipses solar and lunar. Eclipses counted for much in the dim years when fighting was men's most important business. Yet no one who lived in those days would have known that there were seven eclipses, so perhaps the heavenly portents would have exerted less than their due influence on human superstition.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1918.

Sun rises, 7:04; sets 5:26
Weather, cloudy

The Temperature.

The lowest point registered by The Freeman's thermometer last night was 26 degrees. The highest point reached up until noon today was 42 degrees.

Weather Forecast.

Washington, Feb 11.—Generally fair tonight and Tuesday. Warmer tonight

PATRIOTIC SERVICE AT BETHANY CHAPEL

The Rev. Arthur S. Cole delivered an inspiring address on "The Life of Abraham Lincoln" Sunday evening at the Union Bethany Chapel [illegible] a vivid word picture of the stirring days of the Civil war. The Rev. A. H. Haynes asked for Divine blessing upon our nation and for those who have been called across the sea to fight for democracy and freedom. "Keep the Home Wires Burning" was sung by Miss Alberta Craig and F. C. Dayton and "Tenting Tonight on the Old Camp Ground" was sung by Mrs. A. H. Hayes, Miss Craig and F. C. Dayton, with Mrs. Haynes as accompanist. The service concluded with the singing of "My Country 'Tis of Thee," every person standing during the singing of this good old national air—them

Austrian is Released.

Adolph Kempelmann, the Austrian who was arrested at the West Shore station last week by Officer Sachloff on account of his peculiar actions, was released from the county jail on Sunday. He had been remanded to jail for three days by Judge Schirick so that the police could get in touch with his family. His wife came to Kingston from Glens Falls and a brother came up from Brooklyn. They informed the police that Kempelmann was on his way to a sanitarium in Monticello when picked up here.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

JOYS OF THE WINTER.

Some pretty flowers or blooming plants.
VALENTIN BURGEVIN, INC.

If you want any gas mantels, burners or other gas appliances, see GEO. A. FLICK, at his new store, 597 Broadway. Tel. 1563-W.

The reduction of prices on china, floor coverings and furniture holds good during the entire month of February.
GREGORY & CO.

Professional hair dressing at your residence. Marcelle Waving, Water Waving, Scalp Treatment, Facial Massage, Shampooing, Manicuring. Call MRS. KLEIN, 1857-R, 40 West O'Reilly street.

Grand dance at Brustman's new hall, 17 Meadow street, tonight, Wednesday evening, Feb. 6th and Saturday evening. Good music for dancing. Admission: Gents, 25c; ladies, free.

Eastman Kodaks, Films and Supplies. CONNELLY DRUG CO., corner Broadway and Strand.

Elmer Palen will have at his next sale Tuesday, February 12, at 682-684 Broadway, Kingston, N. Y., 30 head of horses from a New York dairy and a carload of Wells Fargo express horses and his usual run of commission horses.

BASCH & SHAPIRO, 10-12 Ann St., Kingston, N. Y., will have one carload of good selected horses from the State of Ohio; also one car load of good second-hand horses from a big concern from Long Island. These are all good horses. Anybody wanting a good horse come and look our stock over before buying elsewhere.

RUBBER STAMPS.

made to order, any style type duplicated. Stencils, printing outfits, numbering machines, check protectors.
O'REILLY'S, 550 Broadway.

$1.00 shirts, 65c. $1.50 shirts, 79c. Factory seconds.
McTAGUE, 48 Broadway.

HAND BOOKS.

All the "How" books. How to play all the different games of cards, chess, checkers, etc. Joke Books, Fortune Telling Books, Dream Books, Forms and Language Books. How to learn French, Italian, Spanish quickly. Military Books, etc.
O'REILLY'S, 550 Broadway.

Hair dressing, shampoo, scalp and facial massage, millinery. Smart shop, 525 Broadway.

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30th St. & Broadway (S. W. Cor.).
42nd St. & 6th Ave. (S. W. Cor.).

NEW YORK STATE CENSUS OF VALUE

New York state was the pioneer state in taking an inventory of its man power. It was the first state to take a military census and the classified records of that census have been drawn upon time and again by the federal government.

In response to calls from federal departments it has furnished repeatedly classified lists of skilled workers in various trades and Governor Whitman has in his files letters from several federal departments thanking the state of New York for the aid given them by these lists classified to meet their requirements.

Early in December the United States Department of Labor wrote to Governor Whitman asking for a list of names and addresses of men experienced in the five most essential trades auxiliary to ship building to be taken from the state's military census.

On December 20 a list of 68,392 names and addresses transcribed directly on franked envelopes of the United States Department of Labor were forwarded to Washington ready to be mailed to the men whose names appeared on the list.

Lord Northcliffe was one of the early beneficiaries of the census. He asked if the state could furnish him with the names and addresses of 1,000 or more British subjects. Almost by return mail he received a list of 6,500 and as rapidly thereafter as the names could be transcribed from the records this list was increased to 85,000. He was deeply impressed with the value of the census, as he could not fail to be by such a tremendous response to his request, and declared that if England had taken such a census at the outbreak of the war she would have saved the lives of hundreds of thousands of her sons by having an accurate knowledge of their special abilities.

All of the assistance that has been given the federal government by the state in connection with supplying information from its military census records has been furnished without cost, the state paying the bills as part of its contribution to the cost of carrying on the war. For the information furnished to him, Lord Northcliffe insisted upon paying.

The New York Herald wanted a list of enemy aliens in the state and the State Defense Council promptly furnished the names and addresses of 100,000.

The United States navy wanted cooks and asked New York state to help find them. The Defense Council turned over the names and addresses of 1,800. Again the navy wanted firemen and mechanics and promptly received a list of 1,500, and a request for machinists and mechanics was answered with a list of 1,150.

When the federal government was seeking bakers, butchers and cooks a list of 2,400 was sent in from the records of New York state's military census.

When the New York State Patriotic Food Commission was in quest of farmers, foremen and farm laborers, the Defense Council was in position to supply a list of 5,750 names and addresses.

For the United States army and the National Guard the military census records supplied the names and addresses of 152,000 men who certified desiring to enlist either in the army or the Guard.

In addition there have been numerous requests from the federal secret service and department of justice for special lists which the State Defense Council cannot make public in figures.

The cost of furnishing these lists which have to be transcribed from the permanent records of the census is approximately $3 per thousand.

Every trade and every line of commercial and industrial activity is represented in the military census records which are a mine of information upon which the federal government has not hesitated to draw, and federal authorities are studying the census with a view to having other states follow New York's lead.

Car Stalled in the Snow.

A number of pedestrians watched with interest Sunday afternoon the efforts of the driver of a big touring car on Clinton avenue, to get the car out of the way of a trolley car. For some little time the car refused to climb the six-foot bank on the side of the road and several times before the driver succeeded in pulling the car up on the bank the car nearly tipped over.

Remind your grandfather, your father, your husband, your brother, your escort, that the Kingston Shriners' Association Dance will be held at the Armory, Kingston, N. Y., on Monday evening, Feb. 11. Proceeds for the Industrial Home.

SUBURBAN NEWS.

Hurley Crossroads.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Elmendorf spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. A. L. Smeeds, at West Hurley.

We are all lamenting the fact that the bear saw his shadow.

George Van Sickel and John Ostrander of Hurley opened the crossroad so one could drive through, and the next day the wind closed it again.

The turnpike from here to Kingston was closed for two days last week so the mailman could not get through until Thursday.

Mrs. Anna Muller and daughter upset on Wednesday morning when driving to town.

Mary Emma Elmendorf has entered Spencer's Business School for a course.

Mrs. Henry Yorke is again home after spending a week with friends in Kingston.

Matt Rush has returned to Kingston after visiting his uncle, William Elves, for a week.

Mrs. Susan Elmendorf has been visiting Mrs. Henry Eltinge of Kingston.

Mrs. John Lasher and daughter, Virginia, have returned home, after spending some time with her father and mother at Burrell Farm.

Mrs. Silas Elmendorf spent one day last week in Kingston calling on her friend, Mrs. William Schweimler on Oak street.

Fourth Binnewater.

Wednesday evening of last week Burdett Freer was agreeably surprised by his neighbors, friends, children and grandchildren, when they walked in liberally supplied with goodies to help grandpa celebrate his 80th birthday. Guests came from Kingston and Poughkeepsie and all enjoyed a merry time. His daughter, Mrs. George Walton, presided at the organ and dancing was indulged in by the young people. For a man of 80 years Mr. Freer is hale and hearty, enjoys the best of health equal with the average man of 50. We all join in and wish him many more years of health and happiness.

Montgomery Dietz of Poughkeepsie spent Sunday at his old home here.

Miss Gladys Chambers has gone to Poughkeepsie to stay for some time with her brother, Harry.

Lew Lasher is working on the ice at the Fifth Lake.

Mrs. Bert Lasher is seriously ill at her home here. She is attended by Dr. Rymph of Bloomington.

Mrs. Fanny Lasher and Mrs. E. Hayse spent Tuesday with Mrs. Bert Pine in Kingston.

Mrs. Mary Burger is quite sick at this writing.

Mrs. George Dietz is home from Poughkeepsie, caring for her daughter, Mrs. Lew Lasher.

Frank Schrowang is confined to his residence, suffering from pneumonia. He is attended by Dr. Hasbrouck of Rosendale.

Maple Hill.

Miss Lillian Dirincion and Miss T. Hamaan of Weehawken, N. J., are guests of Mrs. A. Kelly this week.

Mrs. Lucy Hutzel is at her summer home for a few days with her husband, Leopold Hutzel.

Thomas Osterhoudt, who is attached to Headquarters Company, Field Artillery at Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass., spent Tuesday and Wednes of last week on a furlough at the home of his father, Joseph Osterhoudt.

Lucas Avenue Heights.

Mrs. Henry North of Poughkeepsie spent Sunday visiting her daughter, Mrs. William Robinson, Jr., on Merritt avenue.

Our old mail carrier, Mr. Ritch, of Route No. 1, has served our route with mail several times lately owing to the heavy snow drifts on the cross-roads, which made it impossible for him to travel on his own route exclusively.

ST. VALENTINE'S DAY.

Why it is and How it Should be Observed.

St. Valentine's Day, February 14, has been honored by general observance as a festival for such a long time that its origin appears to have been lost with the ages. Saintdom has canonized, according to records, no less than fifty-two Valentines, of whom two are commemorated on February 14. Of the two, Valentinus, presbyter and martyr, is believed to have been the personage honored by the custom of sending, on February 14, tokens of a sentimental character to those we love or admire.

This Valentinus was a prominent exponent of the doctrine of Christianity during the reign of Claudius. Marcus Aurelius, in the second half of the third century. Efforts to induce him to return to the worship of the gods of his fathers proving futile, he was seized and thrown into chains, beaten continuously, and finally beheaded on February 14. Possessed of influence over a large following, his return to the idolatrous faith of the times was sought by the emperor, and he was handed over to Calpurnius, whose duty it was to effect the change. Calpurnius employed one Asterius to bring this about, but Valentinus miraculously healed the blind daughter of Asterius, who became converted to the Christian faith, and, with all his house, was baptized.

But there is nothing in this story to suggest the custom so popular today. That it has always been a custom in great favor is evident through its long observance, being today a festival honored in no less degree than it was in Shakespeare's time, the poet himself frequently alluding to it in his works as an important day of ceremonies.

Among young people it is a most important festival. The love-lorn, often in an anonymous way, salute those whose affections they seek with gifts carrying the message of love, which is the sentiment of the day, shared by both sexes alike.

In Shakespeare's time these gifts, or tokens, were home made effusions, more or less poetic, written on perfumed paper, daintily decorated with hand painted designs; or they were "poseys" tastefully arranged, and composed of flowers symbolic of various sentiments. The wags took advantage of the day to send to persons whom they desired to ridicule effusions that were anything but models of poetic elegance, and thus was introduced the "comic valentine," which later was perpetuated in the "penny valentine," still a feature of the trade productions for use on this day. Later came the flimsy lace and embroidery imitations in paper, bearing various designs in color, ribbon bows, dried flowers or other ornamentations, with ready made verse, generally of a maudlin character. But flowers, either real, artificial or represented pictorially, predominated in St. Valentine's Day tokens. Love sonnets and verse without flowers were as a cart without wheels, they would not reach their purpose. And these tokens came to be called of themselves "valentines."

With the passing of time the paper article has given way to the floral valentine, and St. Valentine's Day is recognized as a floral festival. No self-respecting swain will nowadays send a paper valentine to the object of his affections; instead, he hies to the florist and selects flowers, generally of a variety he knows will please the fair lady, and his sentiment is embodied in the flowers rather than in hackneyed verse, and, generally, especially if his affections are centered upon one object, his card is boldly enclosed with the flowers—he takes no chance upon the possibility of his gift being credited to someone else, perhaps a rival.

Red is considered to be the real valentine color, the heart tint, supposedly expressive of fervor. Consequently roses, carnations, sweet peas, and tulips in the red shades, flowers commonly available at this season, are in great demand on St. Valentines. Violets, symbolic of love, pansies, to convey the message "Think of me," and the humble forget-me-not, significent of true love, are other favorites. The symbolic meanings of the flowers available in February are to be found in the following list:

Rose, dark red, admiration; white, I am worthy of you; yellow, let us forget; moss, confession of love.

Carnation, pink, woman's love; red, ardent love; variegated, refusal; white, fascination.

Snapdragon, presumption.

Calendula, cruelty in love.

Daisy, innocence.

Forget-me-not, true love.

Gardenia, refinement.

Hyacinth, white, modest loveliness; blue, conspiracy, purple, jealousy.

Iris, my compliments.

Lilac, white, youthful innocence; purple, first love.

Lily, white, purity and sweetness.

Lily of the Valley, perfect purity.

Mignonette, your qualities exceed your charm.

Narcissus, egotism.

Daffodil, unrequited love.

Pansy, think of me.

Orchid, you flatter me.

Tulip, red, declaration of love; yellow, hopeless love.

Sweet peas, [illegible]

Wallflower, fidelity in misfortune.

Violet, blue, love; white, modesty.

The sending of valentines by wire is now a common proceeding. Advantage is taken of a system of interchange of orders, established by reputable florists, to effect delivery of flowers at distant points, and the system is so perfect that a person in New York can, at an hour or two's notice, have a valentine of fresh flowers delivered in San Francisco or other city or town, as easily as in his or her own city.

Laid in "Smokes."

Local tobacco dealers did a big business Saturday and Sunday in "smokes," as consumers remembering the Monday holiday, laid in a supply of their favorite brand.

THE UP-TO-DATE CO.,

303-305 Wall Street, KINGSTON, N. Y.

THE NEW FASHIONS FOR SPRING

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WOOLTEX AND PRINTZESS COATS AND SUITS HERE---NOWHERE ELSE

DRESSES OF every description—Afternoon and Evening. An assortment that never before has been equalled. Consisting of Georgettes, Jerseys, Taffetas, Serges and Combinations.

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Suits OF Tricotine, Tweeds, Coverts, Wool Jersey, French Serge, Striped, Pin Checks, Etc.

Coats Wool Jersey, Silvertone, Covert, Wool Velour, Tricotine, checked and plaid Worsteds.

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Columbia Shirts (Speed Up Sale) $1.00, $1.50 and $2.00

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Dress Skirts (Speed Up Sale) $2.97, $4.97 and $6.50

Early February Speed-Up Sales

The Downtown Store is making new sale records. January business has been good. Every effort will be made to speed up for February. Thousands of dollars' worth of good merchandise that you will need soon will be offered at very attractive prices.

OUTING FLANNEL. 12½c 1,200 yards of good weight outing flannel, stripes and checks. Special at 12½c (Early February speed-up sale).

EMBROIDERIES. 10, 12½c. Another lot of those exceptional values that always sell freely for spring garments. Special tables, at 10, 12½c. (Early February speed-up sale).

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR. All cotton goods have advanced, in fact doubled in price since these goods were made for us. Corset Covers, Drawers, Gowns, Petticoats and Combinations at the good old prices for (Early February speed-up sale)

SILK PETTICOAT Special value at $2.97, $3.97, and $4.97 at our (Early February speed-up sale).

WINTER COAT SALE.

Plenty of time to wear them. The styles are smart. The value extraordinary at the reduced prices, $12.50, $15.00, $17.00 and $19.00.

(Early February Speed-up Sale)

CHILDREN'S COAT SALE.

There's not so much change in the style of Children's Coats. Buy them little large for another year at reduced prices. $2.97, $3.97 $4.97 and $6.50.

(Early February Speed-up Sale)

MILLINERY HALF PRICE.

Every trimmed or untrimmed hat has been reduced to one half former price, you can have an extra hat to finish out the winter season at very small cost at our

(Early February Speed-up Sale)

GOOD UMBRELLAS.

Spring rain will soon be coming on; be prepared with a good umbrella, the good old quality at 97c, $1.50, $1.97, $2.50 and $2.97.

(Early February Speed-up Sale.)

GOOD SWEATERS.

For men, women and children, arranged on tables for your pick and choosing. Worsted yarn has doubled in price since these sweaters were bought. Wise buyers will provide for next year's needs at once.

(Early February Speed-up Sale.)

CHILDREN'S DRESSES.

The good old quality gingham in these smart dresses for girls; sizes 6 yrs. to 14 yrs. 97c, $1.47, $1.97 and $2.47.

(Early February Speed-up Sale.)

THE DOWNTOWN STORE, 26 Broadway

We have a complete stock on hand of all styles of Victrolas prices ranging from

$15.00 to $265

E. Winter's Sons

John St. Open Evenings

Pre-Lent Dance

At St. MARY'S HALL

Monday Evening, February 11

ADMISSION 25c

Forced to Assert Himself.

Harry's mother dressed in her new suit, furs, and hat, and took him for a visit to the neighbors. Of course, they were glad to see her and chatted fully five minutes, no one noticing Harry, who was standing just inside the door. He watched them for a moment more, then leisurely strode up and said: "Here's ole Harry." He was the attention from then on.

No Official National Song.

There are several American songs of a patriotic character, as "The Star-Spangled Banner," "Hail Columbia," "America" and others, but congress has never adopted one of them as the official national song.

Derivation of "Alcohol."

Alcohol is of Arabic origin, being derived from the particle "al" and the word "kohl," which was a name given to an impalpable powder used in the East for painting the eyebrows. For many centuries the word was used to designate any fine powder. Both Pliny the elsus and Libavius used it in that respect in their writings.

Daily Thought.

Life is a struggle, but not a warfare; it is a day's labor, but labor on God's earth, under the sun and stars with other laborers, where we may think and sing and rejoice as we work.—John Burroughs.